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THEATRE FIRE DEATH LIST SIX

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 29.—Two more persons who were burned in the fire which destroyed the Italo Theatre Sunday night died today, making the actual death list six, the coroner having eliminated the name of Timothy Hanlon, who was a victim of heart disease.

EARNINGS OF C. P. R.

Montreal, Nov. 29.—Canadian Pa-

cific Railway earnings for the month of October, 1921, were \$22,893,624; expenses, \$15,378,137; net, \$7,515,487; decrease in net \$889,335; decrease in gross, \$2,711,008.

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BRITISH EXPECT REAL PROGRESS

Authorized Statement on Washington Conference Issued

London, Nov. 28.—The following authorized statement was issued by Reuters yesterday:

"Approachings expressed in various directions concerning the proceedings at the Washington conference are not shared in authoritative quarters. While the possibility of differences of opinion arising and temporary setbacks being experienced is never lost sight of, yet the British view is one of real satisfaction and great hope for on the naval question alone more has been done than most people believe. But apart from naval disarmament, the most important is attached to this country to the restoration of world peace, which cannot be effected merely in this way.

"There is great anxiety regarding the moral atmosphere of the world, and it is pointed out that one cannot isolate a hemisphere or distinguish between naval and other armaments. It is felt that the recovery of the world and the restoration of financial stability must depend upon the treatment of armament questions as a world-wide issue.

"So far as Great Britain is concerned, she wants to employ her unemployed and pay her debts, and she is gravely disquieted by any situation which threatens insecurity and unrest, whether in Europe or elsewhere.

"The British Government is determined to answer the United States summons in every direction in the general purpose of ridding the world of the menace of a new war."

The statement added that this being the Premier's view, his desire to go to Washington was stronger than ever, but until a week or a fortnight ago in Irish history passed, it was impossible to say whether he would leave England.

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The influence behind the Meighen Government was an influence that had been making multi-millionaires of a few people, Mr. King charged. There was an invisible government behind Mr. Meighen, said the Liberal leader. "Acceptance of promissory notes for tax payments showed this.

Dealing with the railway matters, Mr. King declared that if the people endorsed the present method of administration, they "must be prepared to foot the bill."

The present secret policy was a big factor in the tax bill.

Mr. Motherwell.

Regina, Nov. 28.—At an election campaign meeting here to-night, W. R. Motherwell made public a letter he had received from James Miller, Librarian and Supervising Officer of the Board of Railway Commissioners, in which the writer made the proposal that Mr. Motherwell apologize to Hon. F. B. Carvell and join the latter in his campaign against the utterly indefensible practices that are insisted on by the labor unions in the United States and Canada working together.

Mr. Motherwell recently made the assertion that he had decided his first move would be to ask for the dismissal of Hon. Frank Carvell.

Commons Committee.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press)—Expressing himself as in favor of the principles underlying the several questions placed before him in the Great War Veterans' Association questionnaire, Hon. MacKenzie King, Leader of the Liberal Party, today made public a reply to the letter of C. G. MacNeil, Dominion secretary of the G. W. V. A.

"To what extent the questions set forth by the war veterans may and should be applied must, in my opinion," Mr. King stated, "necessarily be determined by a committee of Parliament having before it the fullest available information with respect to all aspects and phases of the matters under consideration. I would favor the appointment at the next session of Parliament of a committee of the House of Commons with power to take into consideration all the questions submitted in your communication."

Mr. King made a similar reply to a number of questions which were submitted to him by J. F. Marsh on behalf of the Grand Army of United Veterans by which questions practically the same ground was covered as by the G. W. V. A.

Railway Administration.

Montreal, Nov. 29.—Sir Lomer Gouin, addressing electors of the Laurier-Outremont division here last night, said that the railway problem in a fair and intelligent way would depend the destinies of this country.

He appealed to the electors "to give us your votes and you will see us restore conditions as they were and you will see an improvement in the railway situation not in favor of any individual, corporation or company, but in favor of the good people of Canada."

Sir Lomer declared that no matter what was done there was no Government strong enough to prevent politics penetrating into the administration of the railways.

PAYROLL ROBBER BETRAYED HIMSELF

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 29.—Mistaking for detectives two fellow-passengers on a Michigan Central train which arrived here yesterday, John Petkewicz, seventeen, confessed to them that he had participated in a \$28,000 payroll hold-up outside the A. G. Watson & Company shoe factory at Chelsea, Mass., last Saturday.

He turned over to the two citizens \$5,000 cash, which he said was his share of the loot.

"I know you are detectives," he told M. J. McDonough, of Detroit, and M. M. Conroy, of Chicago. They questioned him at length, and Petkewicz, beginning to suspect they were not officers, demanded the return of the money. They turned him over to the police.

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U. S. LEGISLATORS VISIT MONTREAL

Representatives Study Canadian Sales Tax

Montreal, Nov. 29.—The fifty members of the United States congressional party who intend visiting Canada for the purpose of investigating the working of the Canadian sales tax as an aid to revenue, arrived in Montreal yesterday and were welcomed at the station by Stanley Cooke on behalf of the Board of Trade.

The Canadian Club tendered the Congressmen a luncheon, at which Lieut.-Colonel Allan A. Magee, president, delivered an address of welcome. Lester D. Volk, chairman of the visiting party, replied, stating that the body of which he had the honor to be chairman was the largest group of law-makers that had ever left Washington.

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COMPANY BLAMED BY JURY FOR BRITANNIA DEATHS

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—At the close of the inquest yesterday responsibility for the flood which wiped out the town of Britannia Beach several weeks ago and caused the death of thirty-six persons was placed on the Britannia Mining and Smelting Company, which operates copper mines at Britannia.

The inquest into the deaths of William Lomen and others on October 28 last at Britannia lasted nearly a month. The coroner's jury visited the scene of the disaster and heard many witnesses there and in Vancouver.

The verdict reads in part: "The disaster was caused by what is known as the railroad fill, or dump, giving way, and we, the jury, declare that it was criminal neglect on the part of the Britannia Mining and Smelting Company, Limited, under the general management of E. J. Donohue and K. R. Browning, respectively general superintendent and mining engineer for the said company, for deliberately allowing the blocking of a natural mountain stream known as Britannia Creek, causing a menace to the persons living at Britannia Beach."

NEW PAPER IN LONDON IS TO SUPPORT ULSTER

London, Nov. 29.—Preparations are being made to publish a newspaper with morning and evening editions devoted to the cause of Ulster, according to The Daily Mirror, which says a £250,000 already has been raised for the purpose. The enterprise was started by Lord Rothermere in view of the fact that "so many London newspapers which formerly advocated Unionist principles have lately let Ulster down very badly."

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Sketches of Figures at the Washington Conference

By LUKIN JOHNSTON

(Special Correspondent for The Times, at the Washington Conference)

Personalities rule the destinies of this old world more than politics. Gathered round a table in Washington to-day among the delegates to the limitation of armament conference are some strange contrasts in personalities. There are representatives of monarchs and of republics; there are aristocrats and plebeians—all bending their energies to the great task of promoting peace on this somber stricken planet.

So far, without any question, the man who has impressed his personality on the greatest gathering of statesmen which has ever been held in the United States, Secretary of State, Charles E. Hughes. He has more ways than one. To begin with, he was endowed by Providence with a very handsome presence. He stands nearly six feet, erect and broad-shouldered. His well-moulded features are adorned with a white beard and mustache. He has a habit of breaking into a smile which is geniality itself. They tell me he is a "different man" from what he was five years ago when he ran against Woodrow Wilson for the Presidency. The story is told that at midnight on the night when the results of the election became known in New York, reporters went to his house to appraise him of his defeat. They were met at the door by Mrs. Hughes, supremely confident that they had come to announce his election. "The President" is asleep," she said to them! And the whole company laughed at the cruel joke for days.

Sincerity. Hughes has come into his own. No one who witnessed the memorable scene and heard his speech at the opening session of the conference could have failed to carry away a lasting impression of a great man and a great nature. He is a man of several hundred men, to the action of his only art was his directness of speech. Secretary Hughes is the central figure of the conference without doubt.

Mr. Harding. But in referring to his part in the opening session of the conference one would be less than just if no reference were made to the less conspicuous but none the less impressive part of the President. President Harding is said to be just a plain man of the people. "Just folks," as Mrs. Harding is reputed to have said on an occasion she is never to be allowed to forget. But if that be true, it is none the less that his is a time. He is calmness and sanity personified. "Normalcy" is his favorite word and Harding is "normal."

Mr. Balfour. If Secretary Hughes typifies the direction and vigor of a young country, Arthur Balfour assuredly is his opposite number. Standing well over six feet, his attitude is always one of apparent listlessness. It is said he plays a first-rate game of tennis even at 73. He does not look like an athlete. I would be unfair to say he looks blasé, but certainly there is about him every movement of the air of the dilettante. He gives one the impression that to him even this great conference is but a delightful diversion. The utter carelessness of his clothes is one of his most striking features. His trousers look as though they had never known a clothes press, while an observant lady remarked to me that his shirt cuffs were sorely frayed at the edge. His appearance is striking but when he speaks it is as though the soft notes of an organ were sounded. He speaks without any affectation and while it is said he has never written a speech in his life, he rarely trips over a word. The stream of his fully phrased sentences flows on, leading up in perfect sequence to the natural climax. Balfour is the representative, par excellence, of the aristocracy of the old world. He wins all hearts by the charm of his presence and by the sheer grandeur of his utterances.

Mr. Briand. Aristide Briand presents yet another striking contrast. This rugged little man with the massive head and thick long hair who has been seven times Premier of France is no longer the fiery nationalist of yore. But he retains the same fervor and drastic gesture which, one imagines, were there when he was considered the force of ordered society.

If Briand were not a statesman and an orator he would make an excellent movie actor of the wild west drama type. Put him into a red flannel shirt, sombrero hat and cowboy riding boots and his shaggy brows and long, drooping moustache would complete the costume for one of William Hart's thrillers.

It is said that Rene Viviani surpasses him as a speaker, but a man who can address a great assembly in his native tongue, which is entirely incomprehensible to ninety per cent. of his hearers and ring from them round after round of applause must be a man of some calibre. The two brief speeches he made at open sessions of the conference he carried the crowd with him by the thrill of his great deep voice. Of the four men he made himself the most popular.

Admiral Kato. Admiral Baron Kato spoke in Japanese. Kato stands about five feet six. His features are as expressionless as a mask, his skin tight drawn and the color of an overripe russet apple. He might easily be mistaken in the street for the head bell-boy of almost any British Columbia hotel. When he speaks his jaws seem to move not at all. There is no raising of the voice, no emphasis, no gestures. He speaks briefly and to the point without any effort whatever at rhetoric. The somewhat monotonous rumble which comes from his throat does not exactly jar, but it is not exactly soothing.

Prince Tokugawa. Prince Tokugawa, head of the Japanese delegation, speaks English fairly well and is proud of it. He is short but as stout as Kato

lean. With the best will in the world one could not call him handsome. His large head with thick glasses is topped with short, bristling hair. He speaks very slowly and deliberately in a soft smooth voice by no means unattractive.

The lack of oratorical gifts of the Japanese is amply made up for by the eloquence of the secretary-general of the delegation, Tsuboyashi, who interprets the remarks of Admiral Kato with dramatic fervor.

Sir Robert Borden has not been heard in the conference but should occasion arise he would acquit himself well without doubt. It is felt on all sides that he is the natural leader among the Dominion representatives, standing far above the representatives of Australia and New Zealand, who conspicuously lack these personal qualities which distinguish Canada's representative.

Very roughly sketched these are the men who are shaping the destinies of mankind at Washington to-day. One characteristic they have in common—sincerity in their earnest desire to bring peace to a troubled world.

AUSTRALIA GETS GERMAN STEEL

Australian Workmen Suffer, Says Premier Dooley

London, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press Cable)—Sydney Dooley, Premier of New South Wales, attributes the closing down of portions of the Newcastle steel works, with the dismissal of several hundred men, to the action of the Commonwealth Government in allowing unrestricted inflow of camouflaged German steel, which he says, is crippling Australian industry.

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AUSTRALIANS NOW PLAN FRUIT POOL

To Establish Selling Agency in London

London, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press Cable)—According to a Reuters cable from Melbourne, the Australian Government has decided to guarantee financial backing for the fruit pool to handle the forthcoming crop. It is estimated that a guarantee of \$750,000 will be necessary to market the yield advantageously.

Only one selling agency abroad will be recognized and steps are being taken to establish this agency in London.

MINE SETTLEMENT.

London, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press Cable)—A Reuters cable from Johannesburg says that influenced by a warning that the mines would be closed for months if the strike was not called off, the mine workers have agreed to accept the suggestion of the South African Minister of Mines regarding a settlement of the crown mine dispute with a few immaterial stipulations.

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WHY CANADA IS SUFFERING

The Times has received the

following letter for publication

from a commercial traveller who

frequently visits this city:

To the Editor:—I am a travel-
ling salesman for an Eastern
house. I have represented my
house successfully for 22 years,
my territory being Winnipeg to
the Coast. This is the worst trip
I ever had in my life. Mer-
chants are not buying on the
Prairies because the farmers are
not buying. Merchants at the
Coast are not buying because
they say the prairie farmers are
not coming to the Coast to Win-
ter, and because export lumber
business is bad and because the
prairie farmers are not buying
British Columbia lumber. Con-
ditions on the prairies are really
bad. Thousands of farms have
been abandoned in fall already.
Banks and implement companies
are putting the screws on the
farmers to get every dollar they
can out of them. I did not open
my territory for three weeks on
the main line of the C. P. R.
I did not open them here.
So you can see the state
of trade. My firm are writ-
ing wanting to know what is the
matter?All my life I have been a Pro-
tectionist, but I am honestly
doubting the wisdom of that
policy. My firm can and
does make our goods as cheaply
as any place in America. But
our prices are kept up so that
the price of our goods is the
price in Chicago plus the duty
and freight and value exchange,
and we then give the merchant
5 per cent. discount, so as to get
the business. We are protected
by a duty of forty per cent.
These are plain facts. Our manu-
facturing costs do not exceed
those of our Chicago competitor.
I know this to be so.Now, Mr. Editor, I am not a
student of economics, but I can
use a little common sense, and so
it is evident to me that the pros-
perity of my firm in Toronto, the
prosperity of the merchant and
my own prosperity depend upon
the prosperity of the farmers. If
the farmer can't buy, how am I
going to sell? If I can't sell,
what is the use of my firm mak-
ing up goods? If my firm can't
get orders, then they won't make
up goods, and consequently won't
employ help. So the welfare of
my firm, the welfare of the mer-
chant and the merchants depend upon
the prosperity of the man on the
land. If the present exodus from
the prairies keeps up, the pros-
perity will go broke, and as the
prairies provide the best market
for British Columbia lumber,
fruit, etc., British Columbia will
go broke along with the rest.
I don't know much about the
tariff but I do know the farmers
say they can't make it go under
the present tariff. They want
free of duty agricultural im-
plements, and from their attitude
they are either going to get them
free of duty under the Canadian
flag or they are going to get
them free of duty under some
other flag. I am convinced of
that, as if they can't make a liv-
ing in Canada they must move
out.From my experience with them
no more patriotic citizens are in
this Dominion, and surely, if they
get a fiscal policy which will
help their prosperity and thus to
the prosperity of us all, they
should not be called disloyal. I
want to point out that the im-
plements during the war were high-
est in those provinces that want
low tariff, and were lowest in
those provinces that want high
tariff. I wonder if there is any
connection.Excuse the length of this let-
ter but I feel I have a right to
address you at some length be-
cause unless a radical change in
a fiscal policy occurs I can see ro-
tten times for my firm and my-
self. Admittedly this is selfish,
but let every man look at him-
self in this question. "Wherein does
a high tariff benefit me?"Let us adopt a fiscal policy that
will mean the greatest good to
the greatest number.

JOHN L. SCOTT.

The foregoing letter, which
recites an experience that no
doubt is shared by many
others of the writer's call-
ing, emphasizes very clear-
ly the direct relationship be-
tween the economic condition
of the two million people of the
Prairie Provinces and the wel-
fare of the rest of Canada.
Everybody at all familiar with
the recent history of Canada
knows that it was the opening
up of those Provinces after 1896
which placed this country on
the commercial map, and that
whenever there were hard times
on the Prairies there were hard
times all over Canada particu-
larly in British Columbia.

TWO DEVELOPMENTS.

To-day's dispatches in con-
nection with the Irish negotia-
tions convey more hope of an ul-
timate settlement than any that
have reached this country dur-
ing the last ten days. Speaking
before the Northern Parliament

this afternoon Sir James Craig once more declared that the British Government's proposals to Ulster for a settlement of the question were utterly impos-
sible; but he concluded his ob-
servations with the statement
that he was prepared to discuss
other avenues. The other dis-
patch of note ascribes to Sir
James Craig the admission of the
possibility that Ulster and the
South of Ireland may some day
coalesce "of their own free
wills." In other words we have
Ulster sticking to its guns in a
manner similar to that adopted
by Sinn Fein at the outset of the
negotiations and still leaving the
door of peace ajar. But it is the
first time that we have heard
from one in such an authoritative
position as that occupied by the
Ulster Premier that the one de-
sirable solution of Ireland's dif-
ficulty might be found in Ire-
land itself and not at a Downing
Street conference. Taking these
developments together—and we
are assuming that dispatch num-
ber two referred to above may
be relied upon—one might sug-
gest that things are looking
more hopeful.

THE LATE MR. BURFORD.

With the officials of the
United States Immigration De-
partment the people of Victoria
as a whole will share genuine
regret at the sudden passing of
Mr. S. J. Burford. For the past
eighteen years the late Mr. Bur-
ford had made Victoria his
home. During that period he
proved himself to be a capable
and courteous official in a ser-
vice which demands more than
an average understanding of hu-
man nature. His ability at all
times to solve the intricate
points which confront an Immi-
gration officer was accompanied
by a geniality and kindness
which made him generally popu-
lar.

C. N. R. TERMINALS.

Information comes to us from
a reliable source to the effect
that the sum of \$344,000, the
proceeds of British Columbia
guaranteed debentures, is stand-
ing to the credit of the Canadian
Northern Railway—now the
Canadian National Railways—at
the Canadian Bank of Commerce
in Toronto for use in the con-
struction of terminals at the City
of Victoria. If we are correctly
informed we venture to suggest
that the Chamber of Commerce
might render a signal service by
forthwith taking action in order
that this sum may be used to
provide work for the unem-
ployed members of this commu-
nity. The terminal facilities for
the national system may not be
required in this city for some
time to come; but the money in
question was and is intended for
this particular undertaking and
if it shall be utilized at this
juncture it will do two things. It
will provide much needed em-
ployment and accomplish the ob-
ject for which it was earmarked.
It is not necessary to remind the
Chamber of Commerce of the ur-
gent attention which the local
labor-market demands.

WELCOME TO THE 'LOUISE'

Two important points should
be remembered in connection
with the arrival at this port of
the Princess Louise yesterday.
In the first place the new steam-
ship herself is tangible proof
that the company is alive to the
necessity and desirability of pre-
serving a first class service be-
tween the three ports which the
familiar Princesses serve. In
the second place the Princess
Louise is a British Columbia
product. Mingled definitely
with this desirable combination
of fact is the part which Captain
Troup has played in convincing
the company of the requirements
of the British Columbia Coast
Steamship Service. To him goes
much of the credit for the latest
addition to the excellent fleet as
well as for his ardent support of
the policy of local construction.
Victoria congratulates the com-
pany and welcomes the new ves-
sel to her home port.

NOTE AND COMMENT

It is the fashion of Mr.
Meighen and his friends to re-
present Great Britain as a poor
old "has-been" which for years
has been stupidly blundering
into ignominious ruin under free
trade. The whole world knows,
of course, that Great Britain was

the financial backbone of the
Allies during the war. We also
might point out that last year
Great Britain reduced her debt
by £256,000,000, while Canada's
debt was increased by \$101,368,
077, according to the Budget
Speech of Sir Henry Drayton
last May.

The billboard advertising cam-
paign of Mr. Meighen's party
wastes enough money to furnish
employment for a veritable army
of workless people in Canada
during the entire winter. We
use the expression "wastes" ad-
visedly, because it would be a
most unintelligent public that
was influenced by such fustian.

Major Charles Power—Lib-
eral member for Quebec South
in the late Parliament—has
asked the national secretary of
the G. W. V. A. if it is true that
that Association received \$50,000
of the eastern funds from the
Dominion Government with a
promise of \$100,000 more to be
paid before the election. Quite
a delicate inquiry.

In spite of the turbulent con-
ditions in Bombay the Prince of
Wales is a good enough sport to
carry on. He is made of the
stuff that even the disciples of
Ghandi will envy before the tour
is much older.

Nearly twenty million gallons
of water are discharged every
twenty-four hours from the Big
Horn hot springs in Wyoming.
Has anybody ever attempted to
estimate the amount of pressure
of a similar heat that is gener-
ated in one afternoon in an
average Legislative Assembly?

CONFERENCES
DEBATED BRISKLY

(Continued from page 1.)

In regard to the agreements which
may come out of the conference there
is a very noticeable feeling of doubt.
It is understood that President Har-
ding takes a very optimistic view
of the conference before the Senate
for ratification because it will contain
nothing contrary to the spirit of the
people of the United States. "This
is effect," he is said to believe, "that
no difficulty would be encountered."

We will not be afraid to bring any
agreement which may be reached by
the conference before the Senate for
ratification because it will contain
nothing contrary to the spirit of the
people of the United States. "This
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no difficulty would be encountered."

It is pointed out that the United
States Congress has already gone on
record as favoring the principle of a
general reduction of naval arma-
ments. Therefore many observers
hold the view that no great difficulty
will be experienced on this point.
There will, they say, be a number of
opponents of any plan which the
conference may evolve, but they will
be only a small minority.
Still, from the first there has been
a very apparent feeling of uncer-
tainty and the controversy over the
continuing conferences and the pos-
sible association of nations appears
to have intensified it. It is felt that
President Harding's move may pos-
sibly have far-reaching and unex-
pected results.

WILL OUTLINE NEW
IRISH PROPOSALS

(Continued from page 1.)

Sir James is quoted as outlining
imaginary cases of oppression, such
as the enforcement of Catholic teach-
ing through educational legislation.
Remember religion is behind this
historical quarrel, although little
said in that regard," he is quoted as
saying, "and that is the sort of thing
that would be likely to happen."

INDUSTRIES.

Another position was that "the
Sinn Fein, with its lack of experience
in industrial affairs, might easily
overrule the important industries
by ill-considered legislation." Sir
James contending that the guaran-
tees promised Ulster by Mr. Lloyd-
George would not protect her against
such possibilities.

NAVY DIAGRAM
WAS PUBLISHED

(Continued from page 1.)

A diagram was published yester-
day, allegedly from official American
sources, showing the comparative
standing of the navies of the United
States, Britain and Japan under the
Hughes proposals. The claim is
made that it shows that Japan will
have vastly more tonnage per square
mile of coast line, per head of popu-
lation, per mile of coast line, in ratio
to her national wealth and foreign
commerce and shipping tonnage than
either of the other powers. However
true this may be the diagram shows
in startling fashion that in all ex-
cept tonnage in proportion to national
wealth Britain will be a long way
behind the United States. It has
been claimed frequently that the
United States is making the greatest
sacrifice in carrying out the Hughes
proposals. This diagram shows that
Britain, with a world-wide empire,
is risking far more than either of
the other powers concerned. For in-
stance, the United States will have
5,000 tons of fighting ships per
thousand of population, Britain 2,000
tons and Japan 1,000. To every mile
of coast line Japan will have thirty
tons of fighting ship, the United
States twenty-seven and Britain
twenty-two. To every mile of
the spontaneous acceptance of the
proposals by Britain becomes the
more remarkable as an evidence of
good faith and an earnest desire to
promote peace.

POLITICS

Mr. Crerar Makes a Hit.
Political Pulchritude.
Amusing the Voters.
Keeping It in the Family.
Robertson Puts His Foot in It.
Those Railway Contracts.

Mr. Crerar's recent address
in Toronto, The Financial Post
admits, undoubtedly created a
profound impression. "There is
no use in blinding ourselves to
this fact," says The Post. "To-
ronto has been regarded as the
chief centre in all Canada of the
opposition to him and what he
stands for. Of his sincerity no
one in the large audience had ap-
parently any doubt. He was lis-
tened to with deep attention and
the applause at the close showed
that his arguments had cap-
tured the audience. If this in-
dicative of the country as a
whole, then, without doubt, the
Government is doomed. His pre-
sentation showed that he did not
intend to destroy any industry;
rather, he said he, would give
protection to any industry that
could make a good case for it-
self before a committee of Par-
liament and not through 'pull'
with some cabinet minister. He
got the sympathy of the people
for the agriculturist in his pre-
sent unfavorable condition. He
captured the support of the busi-
ness men, now sweltering under
triple taxation, by referring to
the injustice of the situation
whereby in some provinces in-
come taxes were collected by the
Dominion, the Province and mu-
nicipality."

Political Pulchritude is the
newest thing produced by the
present election fight, notes The
Toronto Globe. Not long ago
Madame Galli-Curci, the famous
opera star, when in Toronto is
reported to have been shown
pictures of the three party lead-
ers and she chose Mr. King.

The Tories of London, accord-
ing to The London Advertiser,
seemingly have admitted that the
Liberal Convention showed keen
determination in its choice of a
good, honest-looking leader. One
of the leading public men of
London deplored the fact that
several young ladies had told
him that they were not bother-
ing about tariffs, but intended
to vote for Mr. King, as they
were willing to take a chance on
getting honest administration
from him on account of his looks
alone.

The pictures of Mr. Meighen
leading Miss Canada towards
the rocks—as plastered on the
billboards all over the
country—are funny enough but
funnier still are the picture post
cards which the Conservatives
have thrust upon stationers to
sell to a grateful public. The
stationers in turn are passing
them off on the public, notes The
Renfrew Mercury. Get a few for
the children to play with, The
Mercury suggests.

The appointment of General A.
H. Macdonell to the Senate,
thereby keeping that particular
Senatorship in the family, will
not down.

Says The Regina Leader:
"Without prejudice to Gen.
Macdonell's abilities—whatever
they may be—or to his record
overseas, we might observe that
the Canadian Senate was not
created—ostensibly at least—as a
burying ground for political
derelicts or a place of reward for
gallant soldiers. The original
purpose of the Senate—ostensi-
bly at least—was to balance the
legislative branch of the Govern-
ment; but this purpose seems
long ago to have been lost sight
of, and the Senate to have be-
come a part of the patronage of

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The Government for the time be-
ing.Senator Hon. Gideon Robert-
son, Minister of Labor, thinks
that James Murdoch should
have stayed on the Board of
Commerce and fought to a finish
the battle for the people's rights.
"This comes nicely from a mem-
ber of the Ministry which made
it as difficult as possible for the
Board of Commerce to function
at all," remarks The Toronto
Globe and The Montreal Trans-
cript adds: "Senator Robert-
son should have been the last
person to tell Mr. Murdoch that
he should have stayed on the
Board of Commerce and fought
it out. What fighting does he
do? What chances does he
take? Being safe in the Senate
with an honorarium of \$4,000
for life he does not have to take
a chance and consequently never
will. And yet he does not hesi-
tate to say derisively to a pri-
vate individual: 'Why don't you
stand and fight it out?'"The people's vast network of
railways will not be hauled out
of its present difficulties very
rapidly unless there is some
change in the present system of
choosing railway directors. This
is the warning of The Toronto
Globe, which regards with alarm
some of the railway facts which
have come out recently.It is admitted that during the
period of 1917-20 contracts toYour Clothes
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IRONERThe appointment of General A.
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England Circuit Court, the United States Commissioner, commenced its
sittings in the Legislative Assembly Hall. Lieutenant-Governor Dew-
dney, Premier Turner and his Cabinet and Senator McInnes occupied seats
on the floor of the House.

Rev. P. C. L. Harris has accepted the call extended to him by the
First Congregational Church of this city.

While trans-continental trains have been held up by landslides and
wash-outs, the Victoria and Sidney railway has been running four
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Lanka Tea, per lb.	50¢	Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack	43¢
Nabob Coffee, per lb.	58¢	Empress Raspberry Jam, 4-lb. tin	85¢
Fairy Soap, per bar	8¢	Witch Soot Destroyer, per pkg.	10¢
Fels Naptha Soap, per bar	8½¢	Black Knight Stove Polish, per tin	11¢
Toilet Rolls, each	4¢		

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Spencer's Prime Butter, per lb.	45¢
3 lbs. for	\$1.32
No. 1 Alberta Butter, per lb.	43¢
3 lbs. for	\$1.26
"Springfield" Brand Butter, per lb.	42¢
Cooking Butter, per lb.	35¢
Bacon Ends, 2 to 4 lbs., per lb.	26¢
Standard Side Bacon, sliced, per lb.	35¢
Swift's Pea-Meal Back Bacon, sliced, per lb.	55¢
Unsmoked Bacon, sliced, per lb.	32¢
Unsmoked Cottage Rolls, half or whole, per lb.	24¢
Smoked Cottage Rolls, half or whole, per lb.	28¢
Baked Loaf, per lb.	30¢
Headcheese, per lb.	18¢
Boiled Ham, per lb.	65¢
Mild Ontario Cheese, per lb.	28¢
B. C. Local Fresh Eggs, per doz.	73¢

CASH AND CARRY

Spencer's Prime Butter, per lb.	44¢
3 lbs. for	\$1.29
No. 1 Alberta Butter, per lb.	42¢
3 lbs. for	\$1.23
"Springfield" Brand Butter, per lb.	40¢
Bacon Ends, 2 to 4 lbs., per lb.	25¢
Pea-Meal Bacon, sliced, per lb.	45¢
Choice Standard Bacon, sliced, per lb.	35¢
Half or whole, per lb.	32¢
Unsmoked Hams, half or whole, per lb.	35¢
Swift's Premium Hams, per lb.	50¢
Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb.	21¢
Unsmoked Picnic Hams, per lb.	20¢
Minced meat, per lb.	25¢
Roast Beef, per lb.	60¢
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T-Bone Steak, per lb.	27¢	T-Bone End Steak, per lb.	15¢
Round Steak, per lb.	18¢	Beef Liver, per lb.	8¢
Shoulder Steak, per lb.	13¢		

—Fresh Meats, Lower Main Floor

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Phone 2077 and 2079

Ground Cloves, per ¼-lb.	45¢	Black Pepper, per ¼-lb.	24¢
Poultry Dressing, per ¼-lb.	25¢	Raw Sugar, for Christmas baking, 2 lbs.	25¢
Ground Mace, per ¼-lb.	55¢	for	
Ground Allspice, per ¼-lb.	22¢	Blue Permain Apples, No. 1 B. C., per box	\$2.00
Ground Nutmeg, per ¼-lb.	28¢	Del Monte Blackberry Jelly, per jar	40¢
Ground Cinnamon, per ¼-lb.	28¢	Robin Hood Rolled Oats, 20-lb. sack	90¢
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Children's White Flannelette Drawers with frill and buttoned at waist; sizes for 2 to 10 years. At, a pair 35c

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—Hosiery, Main Floor

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THE STORY OF CAROL KENNICOTT

By SINCLAIR LEWIS

He tapped his foot to the rhythm. He looked normal and reassured. But when he complimented her, "That was fine. I don't know but what you can educate just as good as Ella Stenbody," she banged the book and suggested that they were not too late for the nine o'clock show at the movies.

That was her last effort to harvest the April wind, to teach divine unhappiness by a correspondence course, to buy the lilies of Avalon and the sunsets of Cockaigne in tin cans at Ole Jensen's Grocery.

But the fact is that at the motion pictures she discovered herself laughing as heartily as Kennicott at the humor of an actor who stuffed spaghetti down a woman's evening frock. For a second she loathed her laughter; mourned for the day when on her hill by the Mistletoe she had walked the battlements with queens. But the celebrated cinema jester's conceit of dropping toads into a soup-plate flung her into unwilling titillation, and the afternoon faded.

the dead queens fled through darkness.

She went to the Jolly Seventeen's afternoon bridge. She had learned the elements of the game from the Sam Clarke. She played quietly and reasonably badly. She had no opinions on anything more polemic than Mrs. Howland's discourse—her five minutes. She smiled frequently, and was the complete canary-bird in her manner of thanking the hostess, Mrs. Dave Dyer.

Her only anxious period was during the conference on husbands.

The young matrons discussed the intimacies of domesticity with a frankness and a minuteness which dismayed Carol. Juanita Haydock communicated Harry's method of shaving, and his interest in deershoes. Mrs. Gougerling reported fully, and with some irritation, her husband's inappreciation of liver and kidneys. Maud Dyer chronicled a recent bedtime controversy with him in regard to Christian Science, socks and the sewing of buttons upon vests; announced that she "simply wasn't going to stand his always pawing girls when he went and got crazy-jealous if a man just danced with her"; and rather more than sketched Dave's varieties of kisses.

So meekly did Carol give attention, so obviously was she at last desirous of being one of them, that they looked on her fondly, and encouraged her to give details of her honeymoon as might be of interest. She was embarrassed rather than resentful. She deliberately misunderstood. She talked of Kennicott's over-shoes and medical ideas till they were thoroughly bored. They regarded her as agreeable but green.

Till the end she labored to satisfy the inquisition. She bubbled at Juanita, the president of the club, that she wanted to entertain them. "Only," she said, "I don't know that I can give you any refreshments as nice as Mrs. Dyer's salad, or that

simply delicious angel's-food we had at your house, dear."

"Fine! We need a hostess for the seventeenth of March. Wouldn't it be awfully original if you made it a St. Patrick's Day bridge. I'll be tickled to death to help you with it. I'm glad you've learned to play bridge. At first, I didn't hardly know if you were going to like Gopher Prairie. Isn't it dandy that you've settled down to being homey with us! May-be we aren't as highbrow as the cities, but we have the daisiest times—and oh, we go swimming in Summer, and dances and—lots of good times. If folks will just take us as we are, I think we're a pretty good bunch!"

"I'm sure of it. Thank you so much for the idea about having a St. Patrick's Day bridge."

"Oh, that's nothing. I always think the Jolly Seventeen are so good at original ideas. If you knew these other towns, Wakarusa and Jordalemon and all, you'd find out and realize that G. P. is the liveliest, smartest town in the state. Did you know the Eugene Brenahan, that famous auto manufacturer, came from here and—"

Yes, I think that a St. Patrick's Day party would be awfully cunning and original, and yet not too queer or freaky or anything."

(To be continued)

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GARDEN CITY INSTITUTE.

Although the weather was so inclement on Friday night a large number of people turned out to listen to Mr. Maynard's interesting talk on "Old Victoria and the Cariboo Trail." Most of the lantern pictures were taken in 1868 and several "old timers" were pointed out and recognized Mr. Sea one of the pioneers of the Garden City district being noticed on one of the scenic pictures.

Mr. Maynard told many little anecdotes as he exhibited the ways of living compared with the present day.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. Maynard for his kindness in giving the lantern lecture—the proceeds of which were donated to the building fund. After the lecture on behalf of the Women's Institute Mrs. Nix presented a smoka's set to Mr. Harrison as a mark of appreciation for the splendid work he did in supervising the building of the hall.

A lovely bouquet of flowers was presented to Mrs. Harrison by Jeanie Dobson. Mr. Harrison suitably responded. Dainty refreshments were served and many of the company enjoyed an hour's dance. Excellent music being kindly supplied by Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield.

On Thursday, December 1, the monthly meeting of the Institute will be held in the hall and will take the form of a social afternoon.

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WILL BAKER RESIGN? MEMBERS ASK; WANT MOVIES ABOLISHED

Baker Wishes to Retire After Probe, Says Farris

Opposition Claims Movies Merely "Frill"

Nearly two hours were spent in the Legislature Monday afternoon before the votes pertaining to the department formerly presided over by Dr. A. R. Baker were disposed of. R. H. Pooley, Conservative member for Esquimalt, re-opened the discussion on the moving picture department of the Government. He said that the contract with Cowboy Kees expired in February, and he wondered why the Attorney-General was anxious for a vote of \$6,000 to continue this work.

Reference was made to the present standing of Dr. Baker, and H. G. Perry, Liberal member for Fort George, asked Mr. Farris to make clear his reference to Dr. Baker, made in the Legislature on Friday. He quoted from a newspaper report, in which the Minister had said that Dr. Baker had not yet resigned, but was expected to do so at the end of the enquiry which is at present being held under Commissioner H. C. Shaw.

Mr. Perry, Mr. Pooley and Mr. Bowser asked just what Dr. Baker's standing was at present. The Attorney-General explained that Dr. Baker had written him a letter in which he expressed the desire to retire from active work in connection with the game department. No official resignation had been received, but he understood that Dr. Baker would retire after the enquiry was ended. Mr. Pooley insisted upon the Attorney-General stating that Dr. Baker had resigned. This the Minister refused to do, but he said that it was generally understood that the chairman of the Game Conservation Board would retire shortly.

The Esquimalt member claimed that there was no need for a moving picture department. Mr. Farris would not agree to this. He said the showing of industrial films was of material assistance during the present financial crisis, but the vote for \$6,000 did not include the salary of a director of the moving picture department.

Is It a Frill?

"There is a huge budget swamping the country," said Mr. Pooley. "This is a 'frill' and it should be eliminated."

Mr. Bowser said: "A great sigh of relief went up from the country when it was known that Dr. Baker had resigned, and we had seen the last of him."

The Opposition Leader claimed that the vote in question meant that Dr. Baker was to be kept on the move. Mr. Farris denied this. Mr. Bowser claimed that the best way to show an economical policy was to cut out superfluous votes, such as the one in question. He maintained that the country had been "treated" to one of the spiciest scandals in its history.

Mr. Keen receives \$100 per month salary and 40 cents a foot for the films that he produces for the Government," continued the Leader of the Opposition. "Is he worth it?"

A heated argument arose between members of the Opposition and the chairman of the committee. F. A. Pauline, as to whether or not Mr. Pooley could move an amendment calling for the elimination of the vote for \$6,000. The chairman called upon Mr. Speaker Manson for a ruling. The latter said that the amendment was out-of-order because it was a "negative" resolution.

Government Wins.

Mr. Pauline vacated the chair and Mr. Speaker called for a vote. This resulted in a victory for the Government by a vote of 28 to 17. Opposition and Independent members were supported by Mr. Whiteside and Mr. Perry.

Vote No. 81 then came up for discussion. This was for \$35,000, the sum set aside by the Government to pay bounties for the destruction of predatory animals. Mr. Farris explained that the vote was not so large as that of last year, although was considered by the department advisable to provide a sum sufficient to wage war on the cougar and other animals preying upon domestic stock.

Mr. Farris explained to the House that it was his intention to place the game department and the Provincial Police under one administration.

"So we may understand that Dr. Baker has not resigned," remarked Mr. Pooley.

In his letter to me and during the conversation which we had he said that he wished to resign office after the enquiry," responded Mr. Farris.

Then Dr. Baker has been suspended in the meantime," remarked Mr. Pooley. The Attorney-General replied in the affirmative.

The Esquimalt member then said he wondered why Dr. Baker had access to the files of his department during the enquiry.

Mr. Farris replied that Dr. Baker could not answer certain questions asked him without referring to the information on file in the game department.

The Minister again explained that the policy of the Government was to place as much power as possible in the hands of the Provincial Police. There had been a certain amount of overlapping, but it was the intention of the Government to eliminate this where possible.

Down in Dumps.

Mr. Bowser laughingly remarked that on Saturday the public we enthusiastic over the removal of Dr. Baker, but "now we are in the dumps again, Baker is still in command."

The Attorney-General denied this. Mr. Bowser claimed that Dr. Baker had been given access to the files of his department and if this had been permitted he would not trust the doctor not "to look around" when there and pick up whatever information would be useful to him.

"When the devil was sick, the devil a saint would be,"

When the devil was well, the devil a saint was he," quoted Mr. Bowser.

Mr. Bowser claimed that all the ministers of the government had placed their resignations in the hands of the Premier. If so, surely the resignation of Dr. Baker should be there also.

"Someone has been stringing you," laughed the Premier.

"Well, I got my information from sources close to the Government," returned the Opposition Leader.

"My friend's spy system is almost perfect," retorted the Government Leader.

"Well, the people are so disgusted, why should they not trust in me?" returned Mr. Bowser, and the Government members joined in the merry laughter.

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Women's Excellent Quality Heather Hose in green, blue and brown mixtures; Anniversary Sale Price, 95¢ a pair.

Novelty Silk Hose, in clox and lace effects; less than cost is the Anniversary Sale Price, \$1.25 a pair.

Children's Cashmere Socks; British make; come in black and brown; Anniversary Sale Price, 35¢ a pair.

Children's Novelty Striped Wool Socks, Anniversary Sale Price, 50¢ a pair.

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Cougars.

Some discussion arose, over the method of destroying the cougar, M. B. Jackson, Liberal member for the Islands, claimed that the best plan was to employ professional hunters, the method now in vogue. Mr. Pooley

said this would not meet the situation, since professional hunters would draw their pay and do little. He advocated the raising of bounties on that farmers would hunt during the winter, when the animals could be tracked and when the farmers had the time to cope successfully with the menace.

Mr. Bowser took up the debate and asked why cougar hunters from the United States had been employed instead of local men. Mr. Farris said they had not.

"Well," then, Dr. Baker talks too much," said the Opposition Leader.

The vote was then put and carried after two hours had been consumed in considering two votes in the estimates.

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PITTSBURGH HAS A RIVER FLOOD

Rain Causes the Ohio River to Rise

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 29.—The first November flood in more than twenty years was to-day sweeping down the Ohio River from the upper reaches of the Monongahela and Allegheny, the result of an almost continuous rain-fall for several days. The flood stage, twenty-two feet at the point bridge, was reached before daybreak, and a few hours later the Ohio was rising three-tenths of a foot an hour. Scores of persons living in the lowlands of the north side were taken from their homes in boats by police, while rising waters compelled the suspension of operations in a number of mills and factories. Reports from points along the Monongahela River said the damage would be heavy, but no estimates could be made until the flood had receded.

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JACK BURFORD DIES SUDDENLY

Transportation Circles Were Shocked by Death of U. S. Inspector of Immigration

The transportation community of Victoria was deeply shocked by the sudden death of Sherman John Burford, inspector in charge of United States immigration here, who succumbed last night at the St. Joseph's Hospital following an acute attack of pneumonia.

The late Mr. Burford was a sterling official who ranked high in the United States immigration department, and his loss to the service will be seriously felt. Generous and big-hearted to a degree, he was universally liked, and particularly so in marine and transportation circles with which he has been in daily contact for the past eighteen years in this city.

A native of Pennsylvania, where he was born forty-five years ago, he came to Victoria eighteen years ago as chief inspector of the American immigration department, which office he held up to the time of his death. The late Mr. Burford was most highly esteemed, and his passing in the prime of life will be deeply regretted by the wide circle of his acquaintance.

The name and personality of Jack Burford was known from California to British Columbia, and grief will be widespread in Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle at his untimely end.

Mr. Burford was an official keenly alive to the interests of his Government on all immigration questions, and at the same time he was ever ready to render every assistance in settling a difficult situation. Those with immigration troubles were always assured an attentive hearing, and the case was always dealt with justly without fear or favor. He was a man of kindly disposition and of outstanding personality, and his musical bass voice will be missed.

A few days ago Mr. Burford was apparently well and was carrying out his duties as usual. On Saturday he was seized by an illness which developed so seriously that in the afternoon he was removed from the Dominion Hotel, where he resided during his many years' sojourn in the city, to the St. Joseph's Hospital.

His mother, a sister and a brother reside at Salem, Ore. Mrs. Burford arrived here to-day in answer to an urgent summons from Dr. Holmes, only to find that her son had passed away.

The body is being transferred by the Sands Funeral Company to-day to Salem, Ore., where interment will take place.

GREEK STEAMER PUT BACK FOR BUNKERS

Astoria, Ore., Nov. 28.—The Greek steamer Polykork, which left here last Wednesday for India via Yokohama with a cargo of wheat loaded at Portland, returned yesterday afternoon after having bucked heavy gales since she departed. She had suffered some damage to her rails and upper works, but Captain Koti-akos, her master, said he had come back mainly because he had already burned 140 tons of his 470 tons of coal and had only made 180 miles. The Polykork will refill her bunkers here and proceed again.

London, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press Cable).—The late Sir Edmund Gosse, M. P. for Lewisham, left an estate valued at £438,490. The numerous bequests include many of his clerks, servants and other employees. Sir Edmund in his will stated that but for the terrible war he had intended leaving larger amounts.

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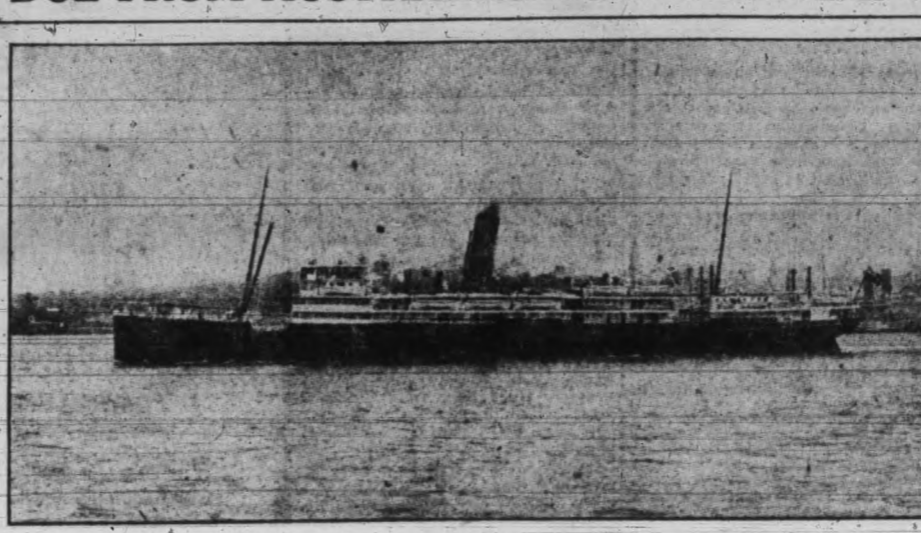
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The dimensions of the Princess Louise in a few words. Length over all 330 feet; length between perpendiculars 317 feet; beam moulded 48 feet; depth moulded 18.4 feet; gross tonnage 4,200 tons. She has passenger accommodation for 238 first class, 44 second class and 19 Asiatic, and carries a complement of 109 officers and men. The vessel is equipped with 131 staterooms and 6 suites-de-luxe. Her first class dining saloon seats a 140 persons, while her second class dining saloon accommodates 44 persons.

Along the Waterfront

SHIPPING NEWS FROM DAY TO DAY

DUE FROM AUSTRALASIA ON SATURDAY



R. M. S. MAKURA

Princess Louise Notable Addition To Coastwise Fleet

Palatial Passenger Craft Built By Wallace Firm to Order of Canadian Pacific Railway Arrives to Undergo Her Steam Trials; Finely Equipped Ship Gives Every Promise of Being Excellent Sea Boat.

What British Columbia can do in passenger boat construction is represented in the palatial Princess Louise which is about to be delivered to the Canadian Pacific Railway by her builders, the Wallace Shipbuilding & Drydock Company. The Princess Louise, which arrived here from Vancouver yesterday afternoon for dry-docking preparatory to running her steam trials, is a magnificent craft in every respect and will be a notable addition to the fleet of splendid passenger boats plying out of this port under the chequered houseflag of the Canadian Pacific. The construction of the Princess Louise in a British Columbia yard with British Columbia materials is recognized as a great achievement, and it clearly establishes the fact that the shipyards of this Province are in a position to build vessels of this type in competition with the great shipbuilding plants of the United Kingdom, which hitherto have turned out

Now in Drydock.
To-day the Princess Louise is resting on the keel blocks in the Government graving basin at Esquimaux where she is having her hull cleaned and painted and minor adjustments made to her machinery before setting out to undergo the exhaustive test to determine her speed. The date of her steam trials over the measured mile at Parry Bay has not been definitely settled upon, but will be staged toward the latter part of the week.

It is confidently expected by the builders that she will exceed her contract speed of sixteen knots. On her way down the Gulf from Vancouver yesterday under the command of Capt. James Slater, and with Chief Engineer Pettigrew in charge of the engineering, the Princess Louise handled nicely and in every way came up to the expectations of the experts who made the trip aboard her.

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B. C. Product.
In every particular the Princess Louise is a British Columbia product. The possibility of future orders for British Columbia yards depends upon the performance of this vessel, and realizing that the builders have delivered the best by turning out an artistic and serviceable boat. If the Princess Louise proves satisfactory to her owners, as she is expected to do, it is highly improbable that orders for future vessels of this type will go to the Clyde or Tyne, as heretofore.

The Princess Louise is the quest of the Canadian Pacific Railway coastwise fleet in point of tonnage, and is the second ship of the fleet in length.

She is also in an especially desirable position with regard to her utility, as she is constructed to specifications which permit her deep-sea as well as coastwise certificates. She is of steel 4,200 gross tons, 320 feet in all, 317 feet B. P. with a beam of 48 feet and a depth of 18.4 feet. She is an economical fuel consumer, having a single screw and engine of 4,500 h. p., and makes about 17.5 knots. Her specifications call for 16 knots, but it is expected she will exceed them as she is constructed on very fine lines.

She will be entirely of British Columbia construction. With the exception of the steel, hardwood and glass she is of British Columbia material, while the workmanship on engines, boilers, propellers, ironwork, hull fittings is entirely of the Province. The hull, of course, is of Wallace yard workmanship; the engines are from the Wallace foundries; as also is the propeller. The woodwork is from the Wallace joiner shop. The electric wiring is by a Vancouver firm; the wrought-iron rail and railwork is from New Westminster. The glass is supplied from Vancouver, the leaded pieces being made at city shops.

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Ships at a Glance

TO ARRIVE.
Pomona U. K. Nov. 16
Monteagle Orient. Nov. 22
Empress of Asia Orient. Nov. 23
Arizona Maru Orient. Nov. 23
Suwa Maru Orient. Nov. 24
Protestant Orient. Nov. 28
Makura Australia. Dec. 1
Anila Maru Orient. Dec. 9
Wenatchee Orient. Dec. 9
Ixion Orient. Dec. 12
Fushimi Maru Orient. Dec. 15
Keystone State Orient. Dec. 30

TO SAIL.
Suwa Maru Orient. Dec. 9
Silver State Orient. Nov. 28
Pine Tree State Orient. Dec. 10
Arizona Maru Orient. Dec. 16
Fushimi Maru Orient. Dec. 20

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For Victoria.
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Princess Adelaide or Princess Mary leaves 11:45 p.m. daily except Sunday.

For Prince Rupert.
Princess Rupert, Sunday, 11 a.m.
Princess Rupert, Sunday, 1 a.m.

SUIT BROUGHT BY
STEWARDS OF MAKURA
HAS BEEN DISMISSED

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—In consequence of failure to comply with a recent order of Mr. Justice Murphy, the action of Theo. Brown against Union Steamship Company, of New Zealand, has been dismissed, thus terminating litigation concerning twelve former stewards of the Makura who attempted to recover approximately \$4,000 alleged arrears of salary.

The men were engaged under articles for the voyage from Vancouver to Sydney. Upon arrival at the latter point, a little less than a year ago, the vessel was tied up with strike trouble. The stewards were given the opportunity of returning by a Union Steamship Company boat, but refused, and finally had to be brought back at the Australian Government's expense as distressed British seamen. Then they sued for wages, which they claimed they would have earned on the return trip from Sydney.

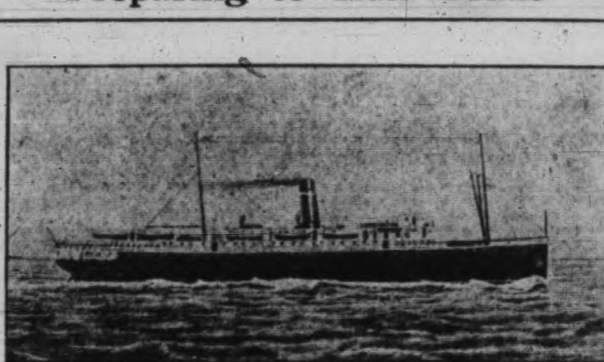
Their first reverse in the Supreme Court came when Mr. Justice Morrison ordered the names of all plaintiffs, except Theo. Brown, struck out, and the case remitted to the County Court. This was done because claims for wages must be sued for jointly and individually, and the claims could not be joined in one action.

About two weeks ago, no attempt by the plaintiffs having been made to comply with Mr. Justice Morrison's order, D. S. Montgomery, on behalf of the company, applied to dismiss the case for want of prosecution. Unless the action proceeds within ten days, the case stands dismissed, according to Mr. Justice Murphy.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.
Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B. C., for the month of November, 1921.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:17	4:21
2	7:18	4:20
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7	7:23	4:15
8	7:24	4:14
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11	7:27	4:11
12	7:28	4:10
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14	7:30	4:08
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NEWS IN BRIEF

Appoint New Official.—The City Council last night approved of the appointment of F. Viggers, a returned mariner to the position of assistant sanitary inspector, held until recently by George MacKenzie.

I. O. O. E. Rummage Sale.—Gonzales Chapter, I. O. O. E., will hold a rummage sale on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Bartholomew's former store, Port Street, in aid of the Chapter's fund.

Guild of Health.—Rev. T. E. Rowe will lecture on Divine Healing in the Cathedral Schoolroom on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Rowe will be in the schoolroom for consultation on Wednesday morning from 10.30 to 12 o'clock.

Exempt Current Year.—The City Council last night approved of exemption from 1921 taxes of church sites together with a ten feet wide strip surrounding such edifices. Separate school buildings will not come within the scope of the exemption.

Teachers' Association.—The Victoria and District Teachers' Association will meet in the High School auditorium on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock, when Mr. Charlesworth, the general secretary of the Federation will address the local teachers. A programme of musical selections has been prepared, and it is expected that a pleasant social hour will be spent at the close of the address.

Lighting of Automobiles.—There is some doubt as to whether the automobile lighting regulations and questions have been forwarded to the Victoria branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada. Inquiries elicit the fact that cars parked on a street where cluster lights are burning do not require the rear and headlights lighted but in any other place than this rear and headlights must be alight.

W. A. Plans Sale of Work.—The St. Mary Magdalene Branch of the Junior Women's Auxiliary, holding its social evening and sale of work in the Mission, Gosworth Road, on Friday next at 8 p. m. Dainty articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be on sale, also home-made candy and a Christmas tree. A programme will be given and refreshments served by the juniors.

Applied Psychology.—Dr. David V. Bush, president of the World-Wide Movement of Applied Psychology, who is giving a series of lectures at the Langley Theatre, carries testimonials proclaiming the benefits of his lectures and classes as held in other cities, covering cures for every thing from cancer to poverty, and demonstrating the power of the mind over the body.

To Keep Inside Estimate.—Unless unforeseen obstacles arise City Engineer F. M. Preston will be able to finish installation of the foundation of the new Johnson Street Bridge well within the original estimate of cost, he announced to-day. Delay in harbor blasting near the bridge by the Federal Department of Public Works has occurred, Mr. Preston said. "A contractor, if he were doing the job, would have claimed much more for this, so that in finally comparing the cost of day labor with the lowest tender received the amount should be added to the amount of this tender," Mr. Preston explained.

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Native Sons Protest.—Little girls selling newspapers upon the streets of Victoria were for a time the centre of interest last night at the City Hall, the City Fathers taking under advisement the best way of dealing with their activities. The Native Sons Society brought the matter to the attention of the Council, protesting that their morals would not be improved by rubbing against conditions which the more robust characters of boys were asserted to be able successfully to withstand. Alderman Woodward remarked that the matter should be handled sympathetically, as there was little doubt the influx of girls into the news selling business was a result of hungry conditions at home, which have caused many families to act on lines far from normal. The Police Commissioner will be asked to act and report on the matter.

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Army and Navy Veterans.—The executive council of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association will meet in the Board room, Hamley Building, on Thursday at 8.15 p. m. All members are requested to attend.

Military 500.—The L. A. to the Veterans of France will hold a military 500 in the clubrooms this evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Murdoch is the convener. So far these social evenings have been well attended, and the ladies auxiliary is expecting a large number to turn out this evening.

Northwest Sewer By-law.—The Sanneich Council last evening decided to notify the Council of Victoria that it would adhere to the letter of the Northwest Sewer agreement, and that a by-law to pay the city the proportion plus interest due before July 13, 1922.

Address at Institute.—"The Lost Hunter" was the subject of an address by the aged Mrs. Home last night by E. Titou. The speaker delivered an enjoyable talk on life in the woods and finally exhibited a splendid lantern lecture on the life of the hunter. The speaker was heartily applauded at the conclusion of his address.

Ready to Pro-Rate.—City Solicitor Pringle last night reported that, with the receipt of a taxed bill of costs for \$338, the last account incurred by the church, the Council decided to prepare as soon as possible showing the pro-rata share of the various municipalities supporting Victoria in the case.

Wolf Cub Pack.—On Friday night the parents of the James Bay Boy Scouts and Wolf Cub Pack held a pleasant social evening at their headquarters. Many of the parents were present, and were entertained by a splendid lantern lecture on Switzerland by W. P. Best. The speaker was shown to the parents on this occasion as an example of the splendid work Mr. Best did last winter in giving the boys lectures every Saturday evening. Among others present were the Rev. A. Gledhill and Dr. Tomalin, who are anxious to assist the James Bay troop and pack.

Liberal Executive.—A meeting of the Executive of the Victoria and District Liberal Association will be held at the Liberal Clubrooms at 8 o'clock this evening at which every member is urged to attend. The members of the various ward organizations are asked to attend at the club and give as much of their time as possible to the campaign work in support of William M. Ivel, the Liberal candidate for Victoria.

OFFERS CHEAP COAL IN RETURN FOR AID

Carew Gibson Coal Claims on East Coast Again to Fore

The City Council last night received from Carew Gibson an offer to supply the city with any quantity of coal up to 200,000 tons yearly, at a price of \$5 per ton, provided the city would first add its influence to that of Vancouver, and by putting pressure upon the Provincial Government secure him leave to appeal to the courts with his claim to certain coal outcrop lands on the east coast of Vancouver Island. The coal would come from the lands in question should Mr. Gibson be successful in winning his claim.

The proposal was referred to the Legislative Committee and the City Solicitor for report. Alderman Fullerton commenting "We know nothing about the merits of the scheme, which seems to have impressed Vancouver."

Boys' Naval Brigade.—The Boys' Naval Brigade will parade at 7.30 o'clock on Sunday for church service which will be conducted by Rev. Canon Hinchcliffe. It will be preceded by inspection of the "drill" and of quarters at the old Drill Hall.

Ladies' Aid of Erskine Church.—The Ladies' Aid will hold a sale of plain and fancy work, cooking and candy to-morrow afternoon at 2.30. The proceeds will go toward the debt of the church.

Naval Brigade Auxiliary.—The Women's Auxiliary of the Boys' Naval Brigade will be held in the brigade headquarters old Drill Hall, Menzies Street, on Friday evening at eight o'clock. All ladies interested in the brigade are cordially invited to attend.

Divorce Granted.—In the Supreme Court yesterday Mr. Justice Morrison granted a decree absolute in the divorce suit of McCrossan vs. McCrossan. Oscar Bass appeared for the husband petitioner, the suit being undefended.

St. Andrew's Y. P. S.—The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church spent a most enjoyable evening on Monday in the lecture hall of the church. The success of the evening was largely due to the efforts of Miss Beth Simpson, who, as convener of the social committee of the society, had arranged an excellent programme.

A. C. Smith, director of young people's work, presided. Solos, vocal and instrumental were rendered by Miss J. Jeffrey, Miss Ruth Melville and Mr. Crump. The humorous items by Miss Estlin and E. Estlin were much appreciated. The prizes for the competitions were won by Miss Beth Simpson. The remainder of the programme consisted of group songs and games. After refreshments and the singing of Auld Lang Syne and the National Anthem, the gathering adjourned.

Successful in Contest.—The winners in the "Mary Pickford Drawing Contest" at the Variety Theatre were announced by the adjudicators, L. M. Mills, W. Menclays and W. G. Lemm. The first prize was awarded to G. T. Lee, a local High School boy of fifteen years of age. The second prize was awarded to H. O. Austin, and the third to R. Watt, all being exceptionally fine drawings. The winners were highly commended for their exhibits. S. Sobers, N. Givens, Ethel Olive, Barbara Hulke, W. Farmer, Jr., Violet Welsh, W. D. Mills, W. J. Moore, Norma Pendray, Margaret Rasher, Cyril Tomlinson, G. Ferriman, Lydia Morrow, W. B. McFadden, P. T. Thorne and Irene Allen. All the drawings commended will be sent to Mary Pickford in person before being returned to their owners. It is stated.

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"KILLING THE GOOSE."

To the Editor:—Permit me to congratulate you on your editorial "British Columbia's Position," which appeared Friday evening in The Times. Undoubtedly the most remarkable editorial I have read during this electoral campaign. In allowing the present high tariff to continue to be levied we are driving our prairie farmers from the land, and "killing the goose that lays the golden eggs."

JAMES HAGEN, JR.

CORRECTS MIS-STATEMENTS.

To the Editor:—It has been brought to my notice during the last few days, that a number of ex-service men who oppose progress in the Ex-Service Movement, have been making wilful mis-statements regarding the aims and objects of The Amalgamated Veterans' Association and while the statements are obviously absurd, it might be as well at this time to correct them, and I now quote an extract from the recommendations made by the Provisional Committee and adopted by the general membership which now exceeds six hundred paid up members.

"That the Association shall be conducted as a democratic, non-partisan and non-sectarian body."

"That this Association when formed, endeavor to link up all the existing ex-service organizations on Vancouver Island as amalgamated bodies and that it co-operate with existing Associations on the Mainland with a view to Provincial amalgamation, and that it hold itself in readiness to join with any recognized amalgamated body of ex-service men throughout the Dominion of Canada."

The quality of the membership and the large number of ex-service men joining the amalgamated body justifies its coming into being at this time, and the fact that we have public opinion in our favor, gives us encouragement to keep up the good work and attain our ambition, viz., a Dominion Amalgamated Organization.

The next meeting will take place in Trades Hall to-night.

ROBT. MACNICOL, Amalgamated Veterans' Association, P. O. Box 957, Victoria, B. C., Nov. 29, 1921.

WHY FORGET THE MOTHER LAND?

To the Editor:—At the meeting at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Friday night, the speaker, Mr. Gaunce spoke at considerable length on the Tariff question. But there was one remarkable omission on the part of both speakers. With a single notable exception, neither of them mentioned Great Britain from beginning to end of their reference to the Tariff.

Surely this is strange. After all, the trade between Canada and Great Britain is no small thing. In the last fiscal year we purchased from the Mother Country \$213,944,814 worth of her products, and sold to her our own products to the value of \$14,226,721. A highly profitable trade, it will be seen, with a very satisfactory balance in our favor. Withstanding the British embargo upon our live cattle. And what is more, it is a trade which is done entirely by means of sea transportation, and which is so important to our country that it should therefore have a peculiar interest in stimulating. Yet, with one exception, not a word about this important part of Canada's life came from either Dr. Toimie or Mr. Gaunce.

The exception alluded to was significant. Dr. Toimie was speaking of which seaport should therefore have it as including "free trade with Great Britain within five years." At this reference some applause broke out in various parts of the theatre, but Dr. Toimie, after a momentary pause, went on to speak of other matters.

Why this silence? Protectionists are fond of speaking of us free traders as pro-American; but the boot is on the other leg. In other words, under the tariff which our protectionists wish to perpetuate and extend, duty was paid on \$3.57 per

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cent of the imports of American goods into Canada. In the same year, on our imports from the Mother Country, duty had to be paid on no less than 75.26 per cent. In other words, our protection policy was pro-British to the extent of 24.74 per cent, and pro-American to the extent of 35.43 per cent.

Our protectionist friends certainly show a lack of consistency when they decorate their platform with the Union Jack. Would not the Stars and Stripes be a far more fitting symbol of their Yankee-fed policy?

FREE TRADER.

Victoria, November 28, 1921.

In Police Court.—In spite of his protested innocence Kay, a Chinaman, was to-day sentenced to two months in jail on a charge of being in possession of two chickens knowing them to have been stolen. Shu and Chu, two Chinese, charged on remand with being in possession of unsealed liquor, were further remanded for hearing at a later date.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC Coast Steamship Service.

The steamer "Prince Rupert" will leave Victoria every Sunday at 11 a. m. for Ocean Falls, Swanson's Bay, Prince Rupert and Anyox. A direct connection is made at Prince Rupert with train for Eastern points.

Furs at Big Discount.—Foster's entire stock on the bargain counter, including fur trimmed slippers. Now is the time to save money on fur gifts. 1216 Government Street. Phone 1187.

FOUR KILLED.

Brussels, Nov. 28.—Four persons were killed and ten injured in a passenger train collision to-day at Duffel, near Antwerp.

SAVE MONEY

on your varnished Johnson's Floor Varnish, suitable for Tables, Chairs, Furniture and Woodwork as well as Floors and Linoleum.

HERE IS YOUR SAVING

Half Pint, regular 60¢, special 50¢
 Pint, regular \$1.15, special 85¢
 Quart, regular \$2.00, special \$1.50
 Half Gallon, regular \$3.50, special \$2.85
 Gallon, regular \$7.50, special \$5.65

A Limited Quantity at These Prices

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Duly instructed by
MRS. W. KNOWLES
 Will sell by Public Auction at her
 Residence, 948 Main Street, close to
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To-morrow, November 30
 At 1.30 the whole of her

Household Furniture and Effects

Including:

DRAWING ROOM—Jacobian Oak Centre Table, Jacobean Seats with Cushions, Up in Tapestry, Deep Stuffed Sofa, "Cecilian" Gramophone in Mahogany Case, and Records, Oak Stools, Mah. Oak Table, Grass Rockers, Mirror in Gilt Frame, Pictures, Florentine Brasses, Brass Vases and Jardiniere, Fire Guard, Skin Rug, Portieres and Window Curtains, Bordered Wilton Carpet, etc.

DINING ROOM—William and Mary Period Dining Room Suite, including Oak Ex. Table, set of 6 Chairs, Buffet, China Cabinet and Dinner Wagon, Wedgwood and Decorative Plates, Brass Jardiniere and Pedestal, Fish Knives and Forks in Case, Pictures, Curtains, Bordered Wilton Rug, etc.

HALL—Carved Oriental Hall Seat, Oak Coat and Umbrella Stand, Oak Table, Rugs, Pictures, Ornaments, etc.

KITCHEN—McClary Gas Range with High Oven, Radiator Bath Heater, Ex. Table, Kitchen Chairs, Aluminum Cooking Utensils, Dinner, Tea and Glassware, Carpet Sweeper, Brooms, Mops, Garden Tools, Mower, Wash Tub, Coal, Cakes and Wood, Linoleum, etc.

BEDROOM 1—Very Heavy Brass Bedstead with Spring and Horsehair Mattress, Circassian Walnut Bedroom Suite, including Bureau, Chiffonier, Rocker and Standard Chair and Pedestal, Silk Curtains, Brussels Carpet, Rugs, etc.

BEDROOM 2—Brass Bedstead, Spring and Overlay Mattresses, Walnut Bureau, Walnut Chiffonier, Bedroom Chairs, Oak Arm and Grass Chairs, Bevelled Mirror, Curtains, Pictures, Bordered Brussels Carpet, etc.

BEDROOM 3—Full-sized Art Wood Bedstead, Spring and Overlay Mattresses, Single Iron Bedstead and Mattresses, Couch, Curtains, etc.

On view to-morrow morning from 10 o'clock.

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Sale No. 1719.

IN BANKRUPTCY

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Duly instructed by the authorized Trustee of Percy E. Beasley, trading as the Frontage Lumber Company, will sell by Public Auction at the Property of the Sibley Mine, about between Shawanigan Lake and Cobble Hill, on

Friday, December 2

At 1 o'clock the plant and equipment, including:

1 10x18 Horizontal Stationary Engine (Cowan) and Accessory, Top and Bottom Saw Hark, 4 Pulleys, Feed Works, Loghaul, Canting Gear, 5x12 Edger, 12 Cast Iron Rollers and Frame, 1 16-foot Carriage, complete with 3 Head Blocks and 3 Dogs, 2 heavy and 1 light; 2 56-inch Saws, "Simmonds"; 1 48-inch Saw "Atkins"; 3 24-inch Edger Saws; 1 36-inch Cut-off Saw with Belts, Pulleys, etc.; 1 Sawdust conveyor; 1 Refuse Conveyor; 1 Roll Frame behind Edger; 1 66-16 foot long Return Tubular Boiler, 120-lb. pressure, with all fittings, piping, etc.; Saw Arrill Hammering Tool; 1 Box Edger Bits; 4 Edger Shanks; 9 Head Saw Shanks; 2 Entry Wheels; Carriage Track 66 feet long; 1 Smoke Stack; 1 Vise No. 1; 1 Set Wood Blocks and Pulleys; 1 Fairbanks Morse Duplex Pump, 4x3x34, with Valves and Piping; 1 3-Slider Plane; 1 8x19 Horizontal Engine, Belting Pulleys; 1 Blower.

N.B.—We recommend prospective buyers taking the morning train on the E. & N. Railway to Cobble Hill, where autos can be procured for driving to the Mill.

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AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY IN MORE FLOURISHING STATE

Better Situation Reported; Officers Elected

Duncan, Nov. 28.—At the annual meeting of the directors of the Cowichan Agricultural Society held on Saturday afternoon there was an attendance of 35 or 40 members with W. Patterson, the president, in the chair.

The secretary, W. Walden, reported showing that the Fall Fair had shown a balance of \$33.59 to the good, hall rentals had netted \$939.57. Fitting up the stage scenery and lights, benches and chairs and part payment on a piano had cost \$421.42. All expenses during the year, including interest and insurance, had been met with the exception of \$752.57, which means that the society is about \$700 better off than a year ago in that the hall has been made ready for subletting. All rooms in the building are let and the hall itself is in constant use. A mortgage of \$17,000 still stands against the hall, but this will gradually be wiped off with the steady assured income. Mr. Walden commented on the fact that the hall was of use to the community as an amusement centre.

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Financial News

CANADIAN PACIFIC STOCK ADVANCES

(By F. W. Stevenson)

New York, Nov. 28.—Rails were again the favorites in today's session, and especially in the case of C.P.R. when an advance of 2 1/2 dollars per share registered from yesterday's close. The demand for the stock was good, and while there was some profit-taking during the day yet this seemed inadequate to check the advance. Atchafalpa and Union Pacific were also well taken in the rail group.

While the railroad issues were the most conspicuous, the lumber group today acted in the general list acted in a manner exceedingly gratifying to the element bullish, inclined, and a very steady tone was maintained throughout the earlier part of the afternoon, in special groups, the long which means that the market is about 100 better off than a year ago in that the hall has been made ready for subletting. All rooms in the building are let and the hall itself is in constant use. A mortgage of \$17,000 still stands against the hall, but this will gradually be wiped off with the steady assured income. Mr. Walden commented on the fact that the hall was of use to the community as an amusement centre.

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(Burdick Bros., Limited).

New York sterling, \$3.99.

Canadian sterling, \$4.35.

New York funds, 9 1/2 per cent.

New York silver, foreign, 67 1/2 c.

London bar silver, 37 1/2 d.

TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

(By F. W. Stevenson)

Winnipeg, Nov. 28.—With both cash and future markets showing an easier tendency today, the local wheat market worked to lower levels after the first hour of trading. During the last hour the future markets had made a decline of about 3 cents, while cash prices were from 1 to 1 1/2 cents lower. The closing quotations were from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 cents lower for futures. November dropped from a high of 115 to a low of 111 1/2.

In the early part of the session there was an extensive demand for No. 1 and No. 2 Northern with premiums of 4 to 4 1/2 cents over for the top grade, while No. 3 was at a discount of 1 1/2 to 2 cents. The offerings became very heavy and with the demand satisfied buyers backed away from the market. Trade in the course of the session totaled 595 cars, of which 331 were wheat.

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FINANCIAL POSITION IS DEFINED

Inspector Baird's Report Is Made Public

Aldermen Surprised; Learn How Event Happened

After a somewhat stormy debate as to motives, the City Council last night adopted the following report of the Finance Committee upon the allegations of Premier Oliver as to the condition of Victoria's Sinking Funds:

"That the Premier's charge of the diversion of sinking funds is substantially correct, but that the controller assures us there is no present diversion of Local Improvement Sinking Funds and that we expect the report for 1921, when prepared by the controller and passed by the auditor, will show that all requirements of the Municipal Inspector in this respect have been complied with. Further, that the sales of reverted lands will henceforth enable us to comply more strictly with the requirements of the Municipal Inspector."

Inspector Robert Baird's official report is substantially as follows: "The financial report of the city of Victoria indicates a serious state of affairs, not only from the standpoint of the obligations which the city will have to meet at a very early date, but also from the fact that the city has chosen to disregard their statutory obligations in a manner which causes some alarm."

The report shows that the bonds maturing between 1922 and 1925 total \$4,659,165.56, and that the sinking fund shortages amount to \$2,734,958.80.

"The condition of the sinking funds," the report goes on, "will not improve before the maturity of the bonds. As a matter of fact, they will become worse."

"During the past year, 1920, the total shortage in their Local Improvement Sinking Funds increased from \$2,442,324 to \$2,734,958.80, so that there is very little prospect of any other report at the end of 1921 than a continued increase in the deficiency."

Collected But Misapplied.

"In view of the fact that a large proportion of these deficiencies in sinking funds has been caused by a failure to make proper application of moneys received for that purpose, the city will undoubtedly have a great deal of difficulty in raising approximately \$2,000,000 within the next four years."

In the year 1920, according to the report, the city received from taxpayers amounts totalling \$712,521.18, to be applied on interest and sinking fund of their local improvement debt. Out of this they applied to the interest and sinking fund payments, as follows: Interest on debentures, \$230,150.88; sinking fund payments, \$90,050.39; serial bond payments, \$72,021.90; totalling \$492,433.17, leaving an amount, \$188,778.01, of moneys belonging to the sinking fund which were used as a part of the ordinary revenue of the city.

"The First Attempt."

The report goes on: "The audit which was made at the end of the year 1920 represents the first attempt that has been made to deal fully with these matters, and to exhibit the true nature of the transactions which have taken place. It was known, of course, before that time, that the sinking funds were going very decidedly in arrears, but there has not previously been any means of finding out where the responsibility lay. It now appears that a large measure of the responsibility lies with the City Council."

Mr. Baird points out that in addition to the delinquencies mentioned, there is also a very considerable amount represented in payments due to the sinking funds under the Victoria City Relief Act, 1910, which this scheme, as adopted by the city



Liver Pains

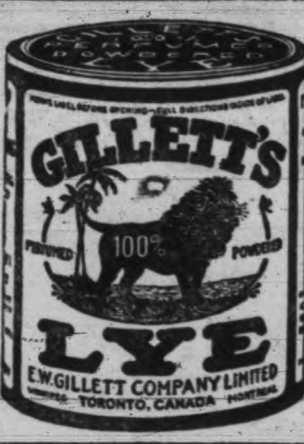
Pains under the shoulder blades tell of liver derangements. Other indications are sallow complexion, indigestion, constipation, biliousness and bilious headaches.

The quickest way to arouse the liver to healthful action is by use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. Continued use will insure lasting relief, correct the whole digestive system and purify the blood.

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NO POLITICS IN GRANTING OF AID TO D.C. MOTHERS

Would Not Be Tolerated, Says Premier in Reply to Bowser Charges

Charges by W. J. Bowser, K. C., leader of the Opposition, that political considerations were entering into the administration of the Mothers' Pensions Act were warmly denied by Premier Oliver in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

"I don't believe that there is a member of the Government who could bring himself so low as to allow any political animosity to enter into the administration of this Act," the Premier declared. "If there is any member who would put himself on that plane I say he should be driven from public life. No member of the Government would tolerate any official following politics to enter into the administration of the Act."

In the speech which brought forth the Premier's emphatic denial Mr. Bowser said he had received many complaints regarding the administration of the Act. He had been informed that investigators had caused unnecessary friction by "nosying around" the households of women who were claiming pensions and telling them that they were too extravagant.

Charges Politics.

"It is safe to say that the women chosen to look after these pensions are all of the political faith of the Attorney-General," he charged. "Did you check that up in the case of Vancouver?" Attorney-General Farris asked.

"Well, I never saw one of these women around my committee rooms and I never received even a kind word from any of them," Mr. Bowser replied. "He said that he had received many complaints that politics had affected the administration of mothers' pensions."

Would Broaden Scope.

Broadening of the application of the Mothers' Pension Act so that a larger number of women and children would receive assistance under it was urged by J. W. Jones, Conservative member for South Okanagan. He said that, as a result of the narrowing down in the application of the Act, 173 widows and 246 children had been deprived of assistance.

Mr. Farris announced that a revision of the Act was contemplated and members would be given an opportunity to suggest changes.

W. K. Ewing, Conservative member for Rossland, said that he had heard of cases in which women had been given to the wives of political supporters of the Government before the last election "with good results."

Answers to Correspondents:

ENGLISH GIRL.—Sorry you are losing your good color, but this is because of our climate. It is so much dryer than it is in England, and dry climate is ruinous to good color. The best thing you can do is to massage your face well each night and morning with CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM, and CAMPANA'S WHITE TOWEL TAPES. I would also recommend you to use it for your hands. It will keep them soft and white and prevent redness and chapping. You can buy CAMPANA'S ITALIAN BALM at any Drugist, 40c a large bottle.

MARGARET.

"I suppose," said the woman who had sampled every kind of sweets she could reach by brushing her arm over the protesting railing, and finally had bargained for three-penny worth of butter-scotch, "all this is adulterated. You couldn't sell it so cheap if it wasn't." "Yes, ma'am," replied the salesman, solemnly. "It's all adulterated. That butter-scotch you're getting, for instance, has nothing but butter in it—and not a drop of Scotch."

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Women's Drawers	Women's Silk and Wool and Wool and Cotton Vests in a group, consisting of various styles; fine strap shoulders and low neck; short or elbow sleeves. V neck and long sleeves, high or low neck; values to \$2.50. Special selling \$1.95	Children's Drawers
Women's Drawers in plain or slightly fleeced; ankle or knee length, open or closed style; value \$1.35. Special selling 98c		In cotton and wool mixture, knee length, others in silk and cotton mixture; values to \$1.35. Special selling \$1.59
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Sunkist Orange Marmalade—Per tin 52c
Meadowbrook Brand Pure Strawberry Jam—In 4-lb. pails; each \$1.00
Empress Brand Pure Malt Vinegar—Per bottle 30c
Lea & Perrin's Sauce—In small bottles; per bot. 25c
Fancy Pink Salmon—In tall tins; per tin 14c

The Times Latest Sporting News

SUNDAY SCHOOL BASKETEERS'
All Sunday School basketball teams are reminded that entries for all leagues must be sent in to the secretary by to-night.

Hockey Squads Hold First Workouts And Prepare For Opener

Vancouver, Seattle and Victoria Teams Start Earliest Training; Clem Loughlin and Hec Fowler Arrived This Morning; "Moose" Johnson Due In To-day; Halderson Looks Very Good.

First official practices of the three teams in the Pacific Coast Hockey Association were held yesterday afternoon. Vancouver was the only squad to turn out with its complete machine. Seattle has eight men on the ice, but Archie Briden was absent. Seven Aristocrats participated in the workout. "Moose" Johnson, Clem Loughlin and Hec Fowler being the absent ones. Hec and Clem arrived in this morning and the "Moose" was expected on the Seattle boat this afternoon.

The Arries will have their first full training period this afternoon. They are not as badly pressed for getting into shape as the Millionaires and Mets, who are billed for the opening game two days ahead of the local squad's initial appearance.

Going Fast.

Several of the Arries were traveling like an electric spark yesterday. Harry Meeking, Wilf Loughlin, Eric Oatman, and Tommy Dunderdale, who have been holding light workouts for the past two weeks, made the ice crackle beneath the swift of their blades. Lester Patrick was also on the pond, and when he cut loose he made all the young blood flap their wings.

The two new arrivals, Frederickson and Halderson, who arrived on Saturday from the East, were in uniform. They did not open up, resorting to an occasional rush and burst of speed and considerable skating to get their leg muscles limbered up. Frederickson showed that the past summer on the prairie has not impaired his playing ability. He seems a little heavier and handles his stick and feet with the same dexterity that made him a wonder last season.

Passes The Puck.
The rail-birds followed every movement of "Slim" Halderson and there were expressions of delight when it was seen that he was not a "puck-hog." Halderson knows how to pass the puck and he knows how to do the whole thing himself. Passing is something that any team can do with.

Halderson has a long stride and does not appear to be traveling very fast but just the same he steps along it about thirty knots. Halderson is a regular Falcon. He has been drilled in passing the puck and shown how to stick-handle and shoot. Frederickson and "Slim" ought to make a lot of trouble for opposing defense by their brilliant combination and stick-handling ability.

With all his length Halderson is very graceful on the glossy surface. It is possible that "Slim" will feel more like working hard this afternoon and will show the rail-birds a little more of the class which made him one of the best amateurs in the business.

New Arrivals Out.
Hec Fowler and Clem Loughlin will both be on the ice this afternoon and the Arries will have something to shoot at. Hec will get in front of the cage and block the hot and soft ones from far and wide. Clem will probably spend the afternoon doing light work.

Both players are in the best of shape and are looking for a big season and also the championship. If the "Moose" lands in this afternoon nothing but another blizzard will keep him from getting to the arena and working out. The "Moose" will probably start off at top speed. He doesn't believe in half measures and just romp up and down the boards. He starts in to spill 'em early and keeps on doing it until the curtain drops.

Seattle, Nov. 29.—With Harry (Happy) Holmes appointed captain, Manager Pete Muldoon, of the Seattle Hockey Club, put the Metro-politans through their first formal practice yesterday. For 45 minutes he men worked at full speed and the spectators were of the opinion they showed up well. The players had been skating for several days to condition their legs.

TOP-NOTCH GOLFERS TO PLAY IN 'FRISCO

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—Three golf stars, Jack Hutchinson, British open champion; Jim Barnes, American open champion, and Willie Hunter, British amateur champion, are expected to play in the Northern California open championship here January 7 and 8. Efforts are being made by the Northern California Golf Association to have the three enter the tourney.

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HAROLD "SLIM" HALDERSON.

Yesterday afternoon "Slim" had his first workout in the West. He showed plenty of class and revealed something that will make him a great asset to the Aristocrats. He passed the puck. That's something the Arries haven't had since the hey days when they won the world's championship. Halderson is a big fellow, equalling Lester Patrick in height, reach and build. He received the cognomen of "Slim" as a growing lad who has been adding weight. However, he has been adding weight and now looks like a well-set-up athlete. He has a long, graceful stride and will make a lot of these speed merchants of the P. C. H. A. travel to catch him once he gets under way.

Offer Benny Leonard Big Purse to Meet Jack Britton in Cleveland

New York, Nov. 29.—Benny Leonard, lightweight boxing champion, last night was offered \$75,000 to meet Jack Britton, welterweight titleholder, in a bout at Cleveland in February. Details of the proposed bout were not disclosed, but Leonard's manager said he would announce his decision December 1. The lightweight champion is to meet George Ward, New Jersey welterweight, in a ten-round bout in Madison Square Garden to-night.

Later, members of the boxing commission stated Leonard would not be permitted to box Ward in a no-decision ten-round bout, but that they would sanction a six-round exhibition without a decision. Leonard approved of the latter arrangement.

"DISCUTS" RETAINS HIS GRAPPLING TITLE

Lewis Secured First Fall, But Was Flopped Twice; Dispute on Fall

New York, Nov. 29.—Wrestling fans of years ago were enforced here last night and recognition was given the rolling fall, which enabled Stanislaus Zyzysko to retain his heavyweight wrestling title in a finish match with Ed "Strangler" Lewis.

This old rule which Zyzysko said has won matches for him in the early days of his career, provides that when a contestant is compelled in escaping from a hold to roll so that both his shoulders touch the mat momentarily a fall shall be awarded to his opponent.

New York, Nov. 29.—Stanislaus Zyzysko, of Poland, successfully defended the world's heavyweight wrestling championship at Madison Square Garden last night, defeating "Strangler" Lewis, of Lexington, Ky. Zyzysko won two out of three falls.

Lewis obtained the first fall with a flying headlock, after 17 minutes, 31 seconds. The second, a so-called rolling fall, went to Zyzysko after 21 minutes, 26 seconds. This fall was called when Lewis, in escaping from a half-nelson and crotch hold, permitted his shoulders to strike the mat. Lewis protested the referee's decision and left the ring, but was induced by the State Athletic Commission to continue.

The champion won the third fall and match with a double arm lock in 14 minutes, 34 seconds.

Decision Jeered.
The referee's decision in giving Zyzysko the second fall was loudly jeered by a large body of spectators. Last night's victory was the nine hundred and fortieth for the champion in his twenty-three years of



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professional competition. He was defeated only once, the late Frank Gotch vanquishing him in a match that lasted but six seconds.

Caddock Wins Long Bout.
Madison, Wis., Nov. 29.—Earl Caddock, of Des Moines, Ia., world's light heavyweight wrestling champion, defeated George Kotsonaros, of Columbus, Ohio, in a one-fall match here last night. Caddock threw the Greek with a toe hold and arm lock after two hours and thirty-five minutes of wrestling.

ALBION CRICKETERS MEETING TO-NIGHT

This evening the Albion Cricket Club will hold a general meeting, which will also take the form of a social reunion of players, past and present, of the club, together with members of the Wanderers' team, which played in the recent Pacific Coast tournament week. Among the items of business to be transacted will be the consideration of the finances of the club and the election of officers for next year. It is hoped all members will be present. The meeting will be held in the Arcade Cafe, Arcade Building, View Street, at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

COHAN NOT AFTER A CLUB

New York, Nov. 29.—George M. Cohan, who has returned from a visit to Europe, stated last night he was not in the market for a major league baseball franchise. He said to-day that he was too busy with theatrical things in London to think about buying a club.

THE HIGH PRICE OF HOME RUNS.
Babe Ruth wants \$60,000 for next season. He expects to clout sixty homers. He may not, but if he does each of those four-ply blows will cost a pile.

Bays and Wanderers to Meet in Exciting Game Next Saturday

Premier Rugby Squads to Lock at Oak Bay Park In Match Which Will More Than Likely Reveal This Year's City Champions; Both Teams Taking Every Precaution to Be In Best of Shape.

Preparations are being made by the Victoria Rugby Union to handle on Saturday afternoon at Oak Bay Park one of the largest crowds that has ever attended a regular league fixture in the history of the game in Victoria.

The drawing card will be the much-talked-of battle between the Wanderers, who are at present leading the league, and the J. M. A. A., last year's champions.

There is no doubt but that these teams will furnish one of the most spirited and exciting games that has been held here in years. It is to be hoped that a dry field will favor the warriors for their struggle.

AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS LEAD ALL-AFRICAN TEAM

London, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press Cable).—The Australian cricket team now touring South Africa, scored 284 runs yesterday in their first innings, against all-South African team in the final test match, according to a Reuter cable from Cape Town. The South Africans obtained 180 in their first attempt Saturday, and at the close of play yesterday had scored three runs for no wickets. For the Australians, Rider made 142 and Collins 54.

TEAMS WILL FIGHT FOR SECOND PLACE

Retail Clerks and Garrison to Meet in Feature Game of Wednesday League
Spencer's Will Try and Take Measure of Kirkham's Tomorrow Afternoon

There will be no chance of Weiler's being ousted out of the leadership of the Wednesday Football League tomorrow afternoon. They are holding a bye and victory for either the Retail Clerks or the Garrison will only put them on the heels of the leaders, one point back.

The Retail Clerks and Garrison are meeting at Work Point to settle the right for second place. Both teams are running along at a smooth gait and there will be little between them at the finish of their struggle. Provided the weather is clear and the field in anything like good shape the game should be one of the fastest of the season.

The other game slated for to-morrow will be between Kirkham's and Spencer's. The latter have high designs on the championship and are anxious to take the measure of the grocers. So far this season Kirkham's have only been credited with one win and that was at the expense of Spencer's. Spencer's are now out for revenge and will try and bump the grocers for a win. These teams will play at Beacon Hill and R. A. Wilcox will referee.

The Retail Clerks will line-up as follows: B. Peden; W. Cull and J. Hunter; E. Kirchner, H. Thompson and J. Clark; C. Patterson, T. Peden, W. Fletcher, J. V. Holyoake and J. Sand. Reserves: Pollock, Greenwell and Moir.

Players are asked to take 2 o'clock car from Yates and Government Streets.

JOHNNY DUNDEE WINS AGAIN IN NEW CLASS

Junior Lightweight Champion Floored Eddie Wallace Thrice; Roper Wins

New York, Nov. 29.—Johnny Dundee, newly-crowned junior lightweight boxing champion, last night received the judges' decision over Eddie Wallace, Brooklyn, at the end of their 12-round bout here. Dundee floored Wallace three times.

Roper Punished Reed.
Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 29.—The scheduled 8-round bout between Captain Bob Roper, Chicago heavyweight, and Bill Reed, Los Angeles, was stopped last night by the referee in the fourth round after Reed had been knocked down four times and was in no condition to continue. The referee awarded the bout to Roper.

O'Hara Beat Wiggins.
New Orleans, La., Nov. 29.—Eddie O'Hara, of New York, was given the decision over Chuck Wiggins of Indianapolis, at the close of a hard-fought 15-round bout last night. The decision was not popular with the fans. Wiggins weighed 172 pounds and O'Hara 165.

MILITARY COLLEGE BEAT HIGH JUNIORS

University Boys Too Good for Public School Boys and Won by 11 to 0

The Victoria High School junior rugby fifteen lost their game yesterday afternoon to the University Military College squad by a score of eleven to nothing. The High School juniors show a lack of combination effort, which is probably owing to their lack of practice and training, but individually the boys worked hard and on several occasions came very close to scoring.

The University team, on the other hand, played well in order, with speed and good training standing them in good stead. Their game was almost entirely one of an offensive order, and their attack was well timed and placed. Harvey played an excellent game for the college.

Scored Quickly.
From the first kick-off the University pushed down the field and secured a try in less than five minutes time, but failed to convert the score.

The High School boys rushed to the University one yard area, and twice the runners crossed the line, only to be called back for passing from the ground, or an off-side play. The excitement was intense at this period, and although the rain and wind were vert the score, in a similar manner the boys themselves were undaunted. By a long punt to touch the University pulled themselves out of the hole and rushed once more to the offensive.

When the whistle for half time sounded the Victoria boys were steadily advancing up the field, with the wind behind them. Dunc McLenman and Iain McCallum both played splendidly for the High School fifteen, but their determined efforts had not, unfortunately, the co-operation that was necessary.

In the second half the University

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GARRISON FOOTBALL

In a slow soccer match played at Work Point yesterday, the Machine Gunners managed to hold the Artillery to a draw of three goals all. The game was minus the thrills that usually are common at these games on account of the weather conditions, the mud bearing the appearance of a marsh.

The play was fairly even, with the Artillery having the slight edge on their opponents.

This is the first time the Gunners have come anywhere near winning a game, but, judging by the display they gave yesterday, they are quite capable to cause the top dogs some trouble. The league standing up to and including yesterday's game is as follows:

Departmental Corps. 3 2 1 1 7
Princess Pats 3 2 1 1 9
Artillery 5 1 2 2 7
Machine Gunners 4 0 3 1 1

MEDAL FOR BEST AMATEUR GOALIE

President Macken, of Vancouver Hockey League, Put Up Trophy for Competition Appoint Official Scorer to Keep Tab on Every Shot Made in Season

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—Who's who in the goalkeeping line in Vancouver senior amateur hockey circles? Three or four crack custodians will go to bat in this season's championship campaign, but the official scorer and fans would like to know just whom to acclaim as the "Eagle Eye" of the amateur circuit. And just to get line on the best goalie and to encourage good play by the back stops of the ice sport, President L. C. Macken of the local association, has offered for competition a handsome gold medal, which will go to the goalkeeper who turns in the best performance during the championship series.

Vancouver is blessed with what every hockey lover follows in this city honestly believes to be the best professional goal-tender in the world, in the person of Eagle Eye Hugh Lehman, of the Vancouver Millionaires. The ice sport in this metropolis is also happy in possessing men of real class in guarding the nets in amateur company. In such a ticklish position, the best of the local goalkeepers are the Towers, Chapman, of the Elks and Ski Scott, who will stop them for the Monarchs, the fans are assured of excellent goalkeeping.

This quartette is experienced and has proved time and again in countless hard-fought engagements that he has the goods when it comes to breaking the hearts of opposing sharpshooters. Who is the best goaltender in the city is a question often heard, and fans get together to talk it over, and it is always answered by several names being quoted according to the leaning and sympathies of the speaker.

Official Scorer Named.
The league has appointed J. Dillworth, the Commercial League scorer in baseball in former years, to act as official scorer for the hockey league this year. This is the first time this has been done and when the last game has been played something definite can be said as to who are the best goalkeepers in this and that branch of the sport.

Joe, as official statistician, will keep tabs on every shot made, whether scored or otherwise, and all goals and assists made by every player will be recorded carefully. This is a very fine idea as it will shed light on what is being done and questions of superiority that have been mere conjectures and doubtfully expressed opinions can now be answered without quibbling.

CAFETERIA WINS AGAIN

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 29.—Following are the results of yesterday's racing at Tia Juana. No races are being held to-day.

First race—Old Homestead won; Little Jake, second; Cleely Kay, third. Time, 1:09 2-5.

Second race—Smiling Maggie won; Tilted, second; Early Morn, third. Time, 1:08 2-5.

Third race—Cafeteria won; Tennessee, second; Our Leader, third. Time, 1:10 2-5.

Fourth race—C. A. Coniskey won; Myrtle A., second; Hugh Angleton, third. Time, 1:02 4-5.

BIGGEST LACROSSE SEASON IN HISTORY

Con Jones Making Plans to Give British Columbia Great Programme Next Year

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—There may be some who have little faith in the future of lacrosse in Canadian professional sport, but there's one man at least in Vancouver who regards it not only as the greatest of all sports, but is quite willing to make up for the burden of placing it at the head of the Canadian amusement calendar and who is not only willing to assume that burden, but promises that no time, money or effort will be spared in carrying out that plan.

Con Jones is to-day out flat-footed, emphatically and unequivocally over to lacrosse, and he says the season for lacrosse opens in 1922, he will again be at the head of a team in this city, and that it will be a team reminiscent of the early days of the last decade when lacrosse was the greatest attractive force in British Columbia sport and the promotion of which by Jones gave the Province some world-wide advertising.

One Big Season.
"Of details of my plans, there are none to give out at this season," said Con last night. "Suffice it to say that plans for one great big season are being slowly formulated, and have already shaped up to such a point that the lacrosse calendar is assured for the 1922 sport calendar."

Mr. Jones was non-committal as to just who will furnish the opposition during the season, what interests will be allied in the league or what is being done in respect to signing players, but these things the old magnate who did more to make lacrosse in Canada in the old days, will be glad to see his interest again enlisted in the sport and work to make it exactly what is promised—one of the greatest seasons in the history of lacrosse in this section.

To Have Indian Team.
The efforts of Mr. Jones next season will not be confined wholly to local affairs. He is now busy on plans for taking the Squamish Indians on a tour of Canada, and possibly over to Europe, to meet the best of the native teams on this side and such opposition as can be provided in Europe. In this connection The Montreal Star recently had this to say:

"Chief 'Big Six' of Caughnawaga, and his protector of the peace, is today turning around in his mind a tentative plan to arrange for some matches either in Montreal, Caughnawaga or both places for the Indian lacrosse team, of his native 'burgh' which will represent certain British Columbia Indians."

Regular Whirlwinds.
Con Jones has under consideration the financing of a tour of an Indian lacrosse team, played from the Squamish tribe of British Columbia, which he says is a wonder.

Recognizing that the Indians were the fathers of lacrosse, he thinks that such a tour would stimulate the interest anew in Canada's national summer sport, and he intends it to include several eastern cities, where they would play against such Indian teams as the Caughnawaga, the Cornwall slanders, the St. Regis and the Oka teams, but different white teams also.

In Dead Earnest.
Mr. Jones seems to be in dead earnest about his project, and it is hinted that he might even send the team across the water, in memory of the two great Indian teams that played there half a century ago, as lacrosse is said to be booming more in England than in Canada both among men and women.

THINKS B. C. FOOTBALL BODY WAS PREMATURE

Halifax, Nov. 29.—George W. Crossan, president of the Nova Scotia soccer association, stated this morning that he had received a letter from David W. Roy, secretary of the Dominion Football Association, giving assurance that the financial statement of this year's tour of Canada by Scottish football players, soon will be forthcoming. Mr. Crossan stated that he had every confidence that a satisfactory statement would be produced and that he considered the action of the British Columbia and Quebec football associations in asking for a financial statement as premature.

S.O.E. FOOTBALLERS TO ENJOY A SOCIAL

The Sons of England Pride of the Island Lodge are giving a football social at the O. F. Hall, 1421 Broadway Street, at 8 o'clock this evening. Players of both the First and Second Divisions, S. O. E. teams are invited. Ladies also attend, and bring along their friends, who also play a part in the recent international match.

The Englishmen are determined to get together and organize the strongest possible team to uphold the prestige of English soccer in the forthcoming Jackson Cup tie and this social will no doubt be one means to that end and of finding all the best available talent to play in the colors of the Sons of England.

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The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church will hold a sale of work and home cooking at the Criterion, Saturday, December 3, all day. All kinds of articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be available, including a fish pond for the youngsters.

Women's Canadian Club presents Blise Carmen in lecture, Empress ballroom. Tickets 50c. On sale at Litchfield's.

Shaw Bros. Commercial Photographers, beg to announce that their new store, 609 Yates Street, is now open for business. Phone 1930.

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Women's Canadian Club—Open lecture by Blise Carmen, Canada's leading poet, Empress Hotel ballroom, Tuesday evening, November 29, at 8:30 p.m. Tickets 50 cents. Obtainable at Litchfield's Book Store.

FROWNS UPON PLAN TO PROFIT FROM RACETRACK BETS

Aldermen Support Ministerial Association's Attitude

Eight of the aldermen last night declared themselves as sympathetic with the Victoria Ministerial Association in its stand against recognition of racetrack gambling, the imposition of a tax on pari-mutuel betting, or making the Province a participant in this demoralizing business.

Supported by nearly the whole Council, Alderman Sargent secured the passage of a resolution to the above effect, together with a promise to endeavor to prevent gambling in city property. Alderman Sargent pointed out that should the Government impose the proposed five per cent. additional tax, there would certainly be no racing at the Willows in the future. "No gambling, no racing," he said.

Alderman Andros capped this with, "No racing, no money, why refer this matter to the Finance Committee?" When it was proposed to refer the matter to the Finance Committee, Alderman Sargent likewise protested against being asked for a report. Alderman Woodward pointed out that the resolution would put the Provincial Government in a funny position, their first offer of the personal property tax had been refused, and now their second offer was to meet the same rate. "We should look with care at the financial aspect of this matter," he said.

W. P. WINSBY, FORMER CUSTOMS APPRAISER, DIES AT RIFE AGE

A host of friends will learn with sincere regret of the death of William Prest Winsby, of 1415 Stanley Street, who passed away at the Jubilee Hospital, at an advanced age, on Sunday evening, November 28, at the age of seventy-five years. For the past fourteen years Mr. Winsby had been in the Canadian Customs service as an appraiser, retiring from service in June last. He held the long service medal for forty years' service in the English and Canadian militaries, and had a wide reputation as a first-class marksman. He was an esteemed member of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association.

A native of Leyburn, Yorkshire, Mr. Winsby came to Victoria thirty-six years ago, residing here ever since. His wife predeceased him eighteen months ago. He is survived by five sons and one daughter, Col. W. N. Winsby, Walter Winsby, Herbert P. Winsby, Hugh Thomas Winsby and Sidney J. Winsby and Mrs. J. R. Robinson. A brother in Scotland also survives.

The remains are reposing at the funeral home of J. R. Robinson, 1415 Stanley Street, where the funeral will be held on Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

USUAL PRACTICE SAANICH CONTRACT GOES TO YARROWS City Officials Explain Sinking Fund Financing

There is nothing new, nor is there anything to be hidden about the manner in which the sinking funds of the city have been handled since 1915. City Comptroller James L. Raymer and Edwin C. Smith, City Treasurer, stated when interviewed by The Times this morning with regard to the Baird report.

The city officials and some of the Aldermen deplore the excitement that has been caused over the matter. Regarding the failure to make deposits to the sinking fund to take care of the extension under the City Relief Act of 1918, the Comptroller takes the view that the amendments of 1919 and 1920 give considerable latitude to the Council to interpret the following clause:

"A rate sufficient to provide for such deficiency in any year shall be included in the yearly rate levied for the payment of interest and sinking fund of the debts of the Corporation. The argument is advanced that the Council is quite within the law in allowing the deficiency to accumulate and to make one borrowing when the bonds became due.

Then again it is claimed the policy criticized has been the practice followed in sinking fund deposits, otherwise the city would not have been able to have met its obligations and furthermore it is contended that it was good business to pay off the indebtedness to the bank, which was carrying a charge against the city of six per cent rather than have the fund applied in the bank to the sinking fund and thus derive a credit of four per cent on the deposit while the outstanding notes would still incur the interest burden of six per cent.

A specific case of where this procedure was discussed is referred to by City Treasurer Smith, who says that during Mr. Raymer's illness in December, 1919, he interviewed Alderman Sargent, chairman of the Finance Committee as to whether they were to again pay into the bank as usual to the credit of indebtedness or to the credit of sinking fund. Mr. Smith says that he spoke to the Aldermen, and that Alderman Sargent suggested a conference. The matter, he continued, was then taken up with the City Solicitor, who said that the law should be complied with, but the conditions of affairs and the usual practice adopted was then explained to him. Mr. Smith says that Alderman Sargent then called the Mayor into consultation at the matter and that Ex-Alderman Patrick happened to be present at the time and he contends that it was agreed that the policy of the past should be followed.

The bond agents and all concerned, officials say, are aware of the practice adopted to meet the conditions of the sinking fund, and the discussion at the present time to provide for the borrowings following the usual procedure and no dissatisfaction whatever has been expressed. Mr. Raymer, who is now in the hospital, is expected to recover.

MOTHERS' PENSION MANAGEMENT

The Administration of Mothers' Pensions by the Workmen's Compensation Board is provided for in legislation to be introduced in the Legislature to-day by Attorney-General Farris. Under the new plan the Workmen's Compensation Board will decide that women are entitled to a pension. Whether the present Mothers' Pensions Advisory Board will be abolished or allowed to continue in an advisory capacity will be a matter for the consideration of the Legislature in committee. Mr. Farris stated this afternoon. Pensions, as hitherto, will be paid out of the Consolidated Fund, and not out of the Workmen's Compensation Funds.

GIFTED SINGER AT SPENCER'S TEA ROOMS

Mrs. Gertrude Hollinshead Brick, the gifted soprano, has been adding much to the pleasure of the tea-hour at David Spencer's restaurant during the past week with her charming songs which have proved so popular that the management has decided to extend her engagement until December 3. Mrs. Brick is a newcomer to Victoria and a more than welcome addition to local musical circles for her delightful soprano possesses all the attributes of true artistry, purity of tone, vivid color and flawless technique.

BEER CLAUSE TO-NIGHT

The Legislature will not consider the beer question until the meeting of the House this evening. Capt. Ian MacKenzie's motion that the House should not consider the beer clause until after the Legislature this afternoon, and an adjournment was moved by W. J. Boyser, K.C.

ALDERMAN PATRICK ISSUES FEAT DENIAL

Knows Nothing of Diversion of City Funds

"Any statement that I know of diversion of city sinking funds in 1919 to ordinary revenue purposes, or that I was aware of this having taken place during the succeeding year when I was on the Finance Committee, is a complete lie," said Alderman Joseph Patrick to The Times this morning. He pointed out that in 1919, when authorization is alleged to have been given to make use of sinking fund money for ordinary revenue expenses, he was a member of the Finance Committee and would not have drawn into such a consultation, even though it had taken place with other aldermen. "I do not remember ever having met Mr. Grimison, certainly I never met that group mentioned by Comptroller Raymer, or any one of them, to discuss such diversion from the city's sinking funds," he said.

Alderman Patrick, who is now in the hospital, is expected to recover.

WOULD HAVE SHERIFF'S SALE DECLARED VOID

Judgment Creditors in Suit Pursue Litigation

John Arbuthnot and the Canadian Bank of Commerce, creditors of the insolvent Pacific Coast Coal Mine Ltd., at Nanaimo, filed a writ in the Supreme Court registry yesterday asking the court to set aside the sale of the property of the coal company as null and void. The plaintiffs seek to have the sale set aside alleging that the court orders made for such sale were irregular.

The Morden and Squagash properties of the Pacific Coast Coal Mine Ltd. were sold at a sheriff's auction last Friday at Nanaimo, when E. B. Ross, for John C. Russell and others became the purchasers. The plaintiffs further state that the company made certain assignments under the Bankruptcy Act which should act as a stay to any such sale. At the sheriff's sale the mines and equipment went for \$126,000.

H. B. Robertson is acting for the plaintiffs, who hold a judgment for \$140,000 against the defunct company. E. B. Ross is acting for the purchasers, and certain creditors. Other creditors are represented by W. A. Brethour and Stuart Henderson, K.C. The total liabilities of the company were placed at \$2,700,000 by counsel, while the value of the two properties were stated to be \$2,000,000 by counsel for the plaintiffs.

UNEMPLOYED MEETING.

About 150 unemployed met at the Old Drill Hall this afternoon, and heard the report of the committee of the Unemployed Council. It was stated the city authorities were favorable, and that relief cases would have immediate attention in the city. The committee also stated that the city authorities would be forthcoming in the waterworks pipe line, and in other ways. Various suggestions were before the meeting when The Times went to press.

NOMINATE FOR NEW DIRECTORATE

Talented Artists Entertain Club at Luncheon

The Kiwanis Club to-day was charmed with two admirable violin selections by Miss Mary Izard, accompanied by Mrs. Gertrude Huxley Green, being enclosed to the echo. Mrs. Burton, of Vancouver, also contributed two numbers, humorous parodies on present day conditions.

It was announced that the Kiwanis Club will hold a dance at the Elks Club on December 12, when the local Kiwanians and their ladies will be the hosts to their friends.

The nominations committee to-day submitted the names of the candidates nominated for officers at the next general meeting to be held shortly. The nominations included: Mark Graham, Kenneth Ferguson and William J. Spencer for president; Kenneth Ferguson, William J. Spencer and W. W. Ballard for vice-president; R. J. Robertson, recommended by the committee, for treasurer; and the following for the directorate: Tom Braidwood, W. W. Ballard, Harold C. Cross, H. M. Duggan, Henry C. Hall, A. M. Kirk, Hugh Leigh, William Maynard, Dr. Howard Miller, Tom Morison, B. C. Nicholas, Carl Stocker, Harry Stuart and Elwood Watkins. Dean Quinton was nominated for the directorate, but declined it was stated. The election of officers will take place shortly.

Kiwanian Dan Fournier, in the course of a brief but interesting address to the club to-day that the situation of the starving millions in Russia should be considered by the club, the matter being referred to the executive. Kiwanian William Maynard acted as chairman, the meeting being well attended.

The Kiwanian lecturer in history at the Victoria Normal School, in the course of a brief but interesting address.

WIDE REGRET IS VOICED AT PASSING OF LT.-COL. McLEOD

One of Foremost Men in C. P. R. Secret Service Is Wide Mourned

Local police and railway circles are expressing deep regret at the passing of the late Lieut.-Col. William McLeod, chief of the western division of the investigation department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who died at Rochester, Minn., on Sunday last. The late Lieut.-Col. McLeod was well known and much esteemed in this city and on the Pacific Coast, being in Victoria at last August in this year, when he came with Mr. Chamberlain, the head of the C. P. R. investigation department.

It will be remembered that Lieut.-Col. McLeod was here in charge of the big audience at the passing of the late Lieut.-Col. McLeod, who was a member of the Royal North-West Mounted Police. His brother, Dan McLeod, is at present in the C. P. R. investigation branch at Edmonton.

He leaves to mourn his loss a host of comrades in all parts of Canada, and the following relatives: His mother, his wife, two daughters, Helen and Dorothy, the latter being with him at the time of his death, three sons, Dan, Angus and James, and two sisters, Mrs. Heywood of Orillia, Ont., and Mrs. A. C. Bunn of Vancouver.

Mrs. McLeod and her daughter Helen are en route to Rochester, and to make arrangements for the funeral.

HEIFETZ CHARMED LARGE AUDIENCE

Delightful Recital by Master of Violin

Jascha Heifetz has come and gone. And it has been Victoria's good fortune to have listened to his wizardry. This remarkable young violinist, he is only twenty-two, whose name is now known to all the world, will go down in history as one of the world's greatest violinists, at an age when such players abound as Mischa Elman, Vasa Priboda, Kreisler, Zimbalist, Tuschka, Sidel and Jan Kublick. His tone is beautiful, some of the

Of other numbers comprising his well selected programme, all of which were beautifully played, the most enjoyed were the "Slavonic Dance, G minor" (Dvorak-Kreisler) and the "Tambourin Chinois" the latter a charming little work by Kreisler, both hispanting and snoring, and were not satisfied until the artist unassuming and unaffected, had appeared again and again. At the conclusion Mr. Heifetz gave three extra numbers, Schumann's "Prophet Bird," the "Turkish March" from "Ruins of Athens" and "Le Chasse" (Kreisler), finally playing the National Anthem to the singing of his delighted audience. Such, then, is Heifetz. Such, too, did the evening prove an historic event for the Royal Victoria, and an occasion long to be remembered by those who gathered within its walls.

Of the accompanist, Samuel Chotshoff, much could be said. He is a pianist of rare gifts, and his accompaniments were remarkably adequate and enjoyably satisfying.

To the Electors of Victoria:

Hon. Arthur Meighen and Hon. S. F. Tolmie tell you that the only way to have prosperity is to maintain the present tariff.

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EVENTUALLY MEIGHEN MUST GO

WHY NOT NOW?

Notes from his superb "Strad" are sublime, entrancing, and his "cantabile" and sustained tones are of the highest character. His bow, deft as a magician's wand, is alive with sensitivity, and in his hands keenly responds to the manifold complexities of "bowing." Such as spicato, ricochet, staccato legato, etc., which leaves one in a state of admiring wonderment. With a remarkable purity of style, his good taste is after the manner of a composer, and with a mental grasp and acute perception of the composer's thoughts, combined with an impressive sincerity of purpose, all placing him at the apex of violinistic art.

His programme, though somewhat severe, was none the less enjoyed by the big audience assembled for the opening number was Beethoven's Sonata No. 8 in G major in which he showed thorough understanding and in his beautiful work with the skilled and artistic playing of his pianist did its interpretation become all-embracing, convincing, complete. The continued applause at its conclusion showed the evident enjoyment of those present, with the master's work as given by the two artists.

The violinist chose for his "big number" the Max Bruch, G minor concerto, one of the finest concertos written in all time and beloved by all violinists. His playing of this made a great impression, and the audience, the concertina, the cornet, heard with breathless attention. Born violinist as he is, he seems to feel the music's life plays, and it is no wonder that the performance of this masterpiece with tumultuous applause.

The violinist's beauty of tone, his deep sense of rhythm, the tenderness and passion, the fiery moments, all were there to leave in the minds of all who heard, enough to make "musical footprints on the sands of time."

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Wales: Mrs. J. Hodge, of Nanaimo, and Mrs. C. J. of Trail, B.C. The late Mr. Pollard went overseas in 1916 and served throughout the war. The remains will repose at the Sands Funeral Chapel until Thursday morning, when the casket will be removed to the above residence, where the funeral service will take place at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery with full military honors. All members of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association are requested to attend the funeral of their late comrade.

On November 28, suddenly, there passed away Catherine More, beloved wife of Charles More, aged 59 years, and a native of Orkney Islands. The late Mrs. More had been a resident of this city for the past 33 years. She was a most devoted wife, her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Dawson, of this city, and three sons, Malcolm and William at home, and Charles in San Francisco. The funeral will take place from her late residence, 349 Balmoral Road, Wednesday, November 30, at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. W. G. Wilson, M. A., will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay cemetery.

Hugh Arbuthnot Stringer passed away early this morning, following a brief illness at his residence, 548 Beach Avenue, at the age of 75 years. Formerly residing in Calgary, where he was well-known as a real estate dealer, the late Mr. Stringer came to this city three years ago. He was a widower and is survived by nine children, Mrs. P. D. Morrison, Mrs. C. Kaufman and Mrs. Norman A. Lougheed, of Victoria; Hugh E. Stringer, Chiffwick; Mrs. C. J. Williams, Mrs. C. Hembury and Bert Stringer, of Calgary; Arthur Stringer, New York; and Mrs. D. Crombie, Toronto. A short service will be held at the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 11 o'clock, after which the remains will be forwarded to Calgary for interment.

There died suddenly yesterday at Sluggerts, Frederick Hayward, a native of Somersetshire, England, aged sixty-four years and 11 months. He was formerly a successful farmer of Rathwell, Man. He retired from farming five years ago and during the last six months had resided at Sluggerts, where he was highly respected. He leaves his widow, at Sluggerts, two step-sons, L. E. Goudy of Lucerne, B. C., and L. E. Goudy, Portland, Ore., one daughter, Mrs. C. Butler, of Sluggerts, and two sisters, Mrs. R. Parker, Vancouver; Mrs. R. Dods, Oxbow, Sask., and Mrs. George Delf, of Indian, Man.

OBITUARY RECORD

After a short illness there passed away at her home, 421 Vancouver Street, early Monday morning, one of the pioneers of Victoria, in the person of Elizabeth McTaggart, third daughter of the late Stephen Jones. She was born in Ogdensburg, New York, in June, 1857, coming to Victoria from Clinton, Ontario, nearly fifty years ago. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. H. L. Elliott, of Vancouver, two grandsons, Clinton H. and Harry McTaggart, one granddaughter, Gladys Isabella Pendray, two brothers, George J. and Steven Jones, of Victoria, four sisters, Mrs. L. Convey, Mrs. J. Jones, Mrs. C. N. Owen, of Victoria, and Mrs. A. M. Wiers, of Vancouver. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. A. de Oren, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, will conduct the service. The remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The death occurred at an early hour yesterday morning, at his home, Beatrice M. Pollard, of 1216 North Park Street. He was aged 47 years, born in Cornwall, England, and has been a resident of this city for the past five years. He is survived by his widow, one son at home and two brothers, Elijah Pollard, in England, and William Pollard, of this city; also three sisters, Mrs. G. Welsh, of

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The festival in the gambling casino in Biskra, on the edge of the Sahara desert, at which Sheikh Ahmed Ben Hassan, is holding a fête and where he for the first time meets Diana May, a proud and haughty English tourist, whom he decides to kidnap and enslave.

The performance is drawing large houses to the Capitol.

The attack on the caravan in the desert and Diana's capture by the Sheikh who carries her to his distant desert camp.

Diana, when riding in the desert with an escort, seeks to escape, but her horse falls and breaks its leg. A caravan appears in the distance, that of Omar, a bandit chief, and she is about to entrust herself to his custody, when the Sheikh appears and carries her back to the camp.

When Diana and Saint Hubert, a Parisian friend of the Sheikh's, are riding in the desert, they are attacked by Omar. Saint Hubert is wounded and Diana captured and carried off by the bandit.

The Sheikh and his tribesmen attack Omar's camp and the Sheikh engages the bandit chief in battle. The Sheikh is wounded and Omar slain by the former's lieutenant. Diana is rescued after a thrilling battle.

Diana nurses the Sheikh devotedly.

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In Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Winnipeg, Calgary, Victoria and Vancouver, big, excited crowds—some of whom had never before enthused over a motion picture—joined in a paean of praise. Never in the history of the amusement business in this country has there been such a remarkable demonstration of approval.

In a few brief hours the screen version of Edith M. Hull's sensational novel, with its wild-riding bandits, lovely women, desert days and desert ways, established a record that no other motion picture has even approached.

Capitol Theatre—All This Week

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Dominion—"Under the Lash."
Capitol—"The Sheik."
Variety—"Paid in Advance."
Columbia—"Thunder Island."
Princess—"A Bachelor's Romance."
Royal—"Earthbound."
Little Theatre—Victoria Amateurs.

but on recovering he treats her coldly and announces his intention to send her back to Biskra.

Diana proves her love and begs him not to send her away. The Sheikh takes her to his arms and admitting himself an American, they plight their troth and some days later start for civilization on the first lap of their honeymoon trip.

Miss Hilary Levida, dramatic soprano, who has met with a flattering reception in other Pacific coast cities, is heard in several popular song selections. Mr. Handley Wells, bass, in a stirring rendering of "Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold," captivates his audience from the very start. His baritone baritone voice is shown off to excellent example in this number.

LITTLE THEATRE FEATURE TO BEGIN

Triple Bill Will Commence
To-night

The Little Theatre this week, in the performances which begin to-night, is imitating its prototype in New York and London by staging three plays, two of them under the direction of Major P. E. Pridoux, and one under the direction of A. M. D. Fairburn, and written by himself. "Dream Faces," the first of the plays, under Major Pridoux, was played with great success by Forbes Robertson in London some time ago, and the play should lose nothing in the hands of Major Pridoux, Mrs. Bellby, Miss Agnes Stuart-Robertson, and Billy Bredin.

The second, entitled "My Lord in Livery," is a farce which is sure to please everyone, and in this play again, the club has secured the best talent available, the leading lady in this case being the inimitable Bobbie Stephens, whose character parts are so well known to Victoria audiences. The other female parts are being taken by Miss Nonie Cutler and Miss Vivian Combe, and the male by Major Pridoux, Mr. Lemm, Capt. Hugh Allan, and Master Fox, all of whom have played several times before Victoria audiences.

Mr. Fairburn's plays, "The Conversion of Red Morpeth," is a Western drama written entirely by himself and when played before some of the members of the V. D. O. S., was pronounced by them the most finished sketch produced at their fortnightly meetings.

The three plays have been chosen with the utmost care, not only as to cast, but with a view to giving an entertainment which is sure to please. It would be difficult to conceive three plays of a more varied character, and an audience can rest assured that no efforts will be spared to give them a good run for their money.

Seats are now selling at Kent's Edison Store, and intending patrons are requested to make their bookings early as the seating capacity is very limited.

Mary Alden, playing the part of the mother in Rupert Hughes's photoplay "The Old Nest," recently returned to the stage for a short engagement in "Ropes," a one-act drama by Wilbur Daniel Steele, at the Community Theatre in Hollywood.

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UNUSUAL THEME IN ROYAL OFFERING

"Earthbound" Will Prove Remarkable Film

The lure of a woman's charms so irresistible that marriage vows and family ties are swept away before it, passion, tragedy and vengeance so intense that even death cannot settle the score have made of "Earthbound" a drama so powerful, so mystifying, so breath taking in its intensity as to overshadow all motion picture achievements of the past. It is not to be wondered at therefore that this master Goldwyn film, produced from the story of Basil King, caused such a stir among New York dramatic critics during a recent run at the Astor Theatre.

"Earthbound," which comes to the Royal Victoria Theatre, for five days, beginning to-day, has a plot that lays bare as no other film production ever has done, a man's struggle against a woman's seductive charms; his futile efforts to resist the vengeance of his closest friend whose confidence he had betrayed by robbing him of his wife, and finally his punishment, so drastic as to carry the story of the play even beyond this life before his regeneration is achieved.

Dick Desborough (Wyndham Standing), and Jim Rittenshaw (Mahlon Hamilton), were light hearted care-free chums. In their college days they had subscribed to a creed of their own—"No God, no sin, no future life. Nothing but the survival of the fittest, and every man for himself. They lived by it and both married and prospered. But Daisy (Phora Revalles), whom Jim married, had all the seductive charms as well as the love and the soul of a vampire. She accepted the luxury with which Jim's money provided her, but her heart was never his. Dick fell a victim to her attraction. In the mad, passionate infatuation for Daisy he forgot his own faithful wife, his little daughter—everything he held dear before. Even the pleas of his wife, begging on her knees before him could not break the

strange, over-powering spell that Daisy had cast over him. Dick, rendered completely, driven almost to madness by the faithfulness of his wife and best friend.

Dick arrives at his club happy and light hearted, thinking only of the alluring Daisy and the telephone message from her that he is expecting. Nonchalantly he begins to walk up the stairway and smiling extends his hand to Jim, who has come half way down to meet him. Jim's answer is a shot that brings instant death.

But the passions that had ruled the lives of these people was too strong to end with death. As Dick's body comes to rest on the floor below the spiritual body of the dead man becomes visible and takes its place beside Jim on the stairs. Dick's spirit instead of being free to move forward, finds itself earth-bound and must remain thus until he has atoned for his sins and has worked out his problems on earth. Still struggling against the temptation of Daisy, the spirit of Dick tries to communicate with his broken-hearted wife, with Jim who because he does not wish to incriminate his wife, has refused to make a defence against the murder charge brought against him, and with Daisy who alone can save Jim by confessing her guilt.

Dick's body is taken to the church of which Dr. Roger Galloway (Alec B. Francis) is rector. There the two women meet, and there too Dick's spirit goes in its search for deliverance. Through the influence of Dr. Galloway, Dick is persuaded to abandon his sinful desires and thus is made better fitted for the task before him. He gradually succeeds in influencing the actions of those with whom he associated in life so that Daisy makes a voluntary confession before the jury, thereby saving Jim's life. But Dick still remains earth-bound until he finally wins the forgiveness of his wife, whereupon he is set free to move onward toward a new and higher goal.

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It is a subject to which Basil King has devoted years of intense personal study. He brings to this great narrative an intimate knowledge of men and women, of their wants and emotional experiences.

"Earthbound" is a remarkable lifting of the veil that stands between this life and the next—a motion picture endowed with a power and human poignancy that can be found in no other form of art.

The year that it has taken in creation began a new era for the screen.

DOMINION

Gloria Swanson created a profound impression by her portrayal of the abused wife of a South African farmer in her new Paramount picture, "Under the Lash," which was shown at the Dominion Theatre before a delighted audience last night. The story is quite dramatic and the action is rapid. The production as a whole is of the finest grade. Mahlon Hamilton renders adequate support as does also, Russell Simpson, Lilian Leighton, Lincoln Steedman, Thelma Jasper and Clarence Ford. The direction by Sam Wood and the photography by Al Gilks, proved most artistic.

VARIETY

Dorothy Phillips, the star of many Universal screen productions, who is appearing in "Paid in Advance" at the Variety Theatre, has some secrets for the making of tears and laughter that she guards jealously, although she confesses that at times she has an inclination to write and tell all about it to somebody. Miss Phillips said recently: "I sometimes feel tempted to write a little treatise on how hard it is to laugh at a moment's notice. I really find it much harder to laugh and look as if I really meant it—than to weep. Tears in themselves register sadness and produce that effect, after they first appear in the eyes, without the need of further effort on the part of the actress. But laughter, that is different! It is virtually impossible to laugh when you are not in a humorous mood. And if you don't feel the laugh—if you don't laugh with your heart and eyes as well as with your mouth, it is going to look forced and will not be at all effective."

The star went on to relate that once while she was in an unhappy, unsympathetic mood she joined a group of "kiddies" who in the hilarity of their play were laughing at nothing at all. Although she seemed ridiculous at first, she discovered the proper mood that prompts successful screen laughing. It is a laugh that comes from the heart.

Crying for the screen is a different matter. Although she has divulged a part of her secret for laughter, her recipe for bitter and sweet tears remains untold. The fact is Miss

Phillips admits, she always calls to mind a little poem she learned when she was a girl. It never fails to bring tears to her eyes. But the star won't disclose what the poem is. She wants the secret for herself.

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GREAT ORGANIST COMING

Joseph Bonnet Will Be Heard Here on Friday.

Joseph Bonnet's tour throughout Canada is proving a triumph. Everywhere this wonderful French organist goes he is greeted with immense audiences. In Montreal he received a huge reception, and so great was the demand there to hear him that a repeat recital was arranged. In Win-

nipeg, too, he got an enthusiastically large audience.

There will be no doubt of what Vancouver and the Capital City will offer when he plays in these two, the largest cities of the Province, and particularly musical Victoria, judging from the advance sale of tickets at Fletcher Bros., will acclaim this wonderful organist on Friday evening next at the Metropolitan Church. In order that there will be no congestion at the doors of the Church the East door will be used to admit all ticket holders.

Some Chicago critics have said: "Henriette Weber in The Chicago Herald and Examiner: 'Joseph Bonnet, one of the few great masters of the organ, was the soloist at the Symphony Orchestra concert yesterday afternoon, and scored an unequivocal success with the audience.'"

Edward C. Moore in The Chicago Daily Journal: "As an ex-cultant Bonnet is the superior of anyone making public appearance here in this generation. It is an inspiration to hear a melody stand out under his fingers. This is as organists will tell you, is chiefly a matter of touch, and a rather difficult art to acquire. He has the further gift, too, apparently second nature, of producing everything in ideally clean-cut fashion. These two traits alone are enough to make him a big figure."

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POPULARITY WON BY ECKHARDT CO.

Exceptional Comedy Drama at
Princess This Week: "A
Bachelor's Romance"

It was "Guest Night" at the Princess last night, and the Eckhardt Company offered a characteristic play, undoubtedly being the best produced at the Yates Street house for some time. "A Bachelor's Romance" is the title, with Oliver Eckhardt the bachelor. As David Holmes, a literary critic on the Review, has a position in the play that presents him with every "hook" for his wonderful ability as a character actor. The dry wit of a literary man is sustained throughout the play, and also the absent-mindedness of a busy man is carried out with every effect to accomplish the parts required to make it a comedy drama. Mr. Eckhardt is a new arrival in this city among the stock company actors, and was received by the audience at last night's performance, with unqualified applause proving the popularity he has already attained. In a short speech which was demanded of him after the third act, he outlined the standard that the company would adopt throughout the entire season. There is a vein of sentiment throughout the entire play, which is overflowing with sparkling clean humor and amusing incidents. Miss Nina Gilbert once again won the approval of the house last night on her appearance when she was met with applause as she entered. Miss Sylvia Sommers, David's ward, was the role taken by Miss Gilbert, and was

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Jaxon retains that old pep that endears the serious parts of play, and is featured as Harry Reynolds, who has written a story for a prize, while Mr. Shirley McDonnell rounds out an excellent cast and is also attached to a literary career. The play will be presented every night of this week and should attract a capacity house. Last evening boys of the Boys' Naval Brigade were guests of the theatre management.

SCENE IN "THE SHEIK" NOW AT THE CAPITOL



charming in her portrayal of the "country mouse" who preferred a quiet life to the one which was thrust upon her after leaving her mistress. It's around the ward and guardian that the story is entwined.

New talent was found in Miss Eunice Richards, one of the members who has an exceptional voice, and Miss Wanda Dean, stars in the role of Miss Clementina, a sharp-tongued maiden. Miss Eunice Richards as Helen Le Grad, who undertakes to tutor Miss Sylvia for a time and is also a widow of the world, adapted to making matrimonial matches, and Miss Lily Dooley as Harriet Leicester, a society girl of high standard. Miss Lily Dooley is featured in a special vocal number with Lee Jaxon. All previous players of Victoria's stock company in the past will remember the parts that were successfully acted by Tom Sullivan. This time his old role is given him again, and the part is eminently suited to his acting as Martin Beggs, David's secretary. Mr. Arthur Elton still plays the role of an old gentleman, and also takes the part of Mr. Mulberry, one of David's employers. An entirely new part has been given James Coote this week as a pleasure-loving young man who has made the White Way his playing ground but eventually settles down on the farm. He acts with exceptional skill. Lee

CHARLIE CHAPLIN'S FIRST PART

What was the foundation of Charlie Chaplin's career?

Mr. H. A. Saintsbury, the actor, believes that the great film comedian has been strongly influenced by his first part—that of a page boy in his production of "Sherlock Holmes" at the Lyceum Theatre many years ago. "I produced 'Sherlock Holmes' and gave Charlie Chaplin his first part—a page-boy—in 1902," said Mr. Saintsbury to an interviewer. "Charlie had a round, chubby face. He acted well, and was always ready for his cue. In his 'off' moments he was irresponsible, and his elder brother Sidney, who looked after him, was himself sometimes led away by Charlie's high spirits."

"Charlie was an earnest worker, and was with me for fifteen months. I knew he would make good."

"He left us for the Karno sketches, and I have always heard that he could do justice to any role, including those that are tragic."—Tit-Bits.

Eugene O'Brien becomes an American hero in "Prophet's Paradise" and rescues his lady-love from a Turkish slave mart.

Eugene O'Brien acts like a serial during the mad dash of Selznick's "Chivalrous Charlie."

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LAUNCH MASSED ATTACK ON B. C. INDUSTRY DEPT.

Opposition, in Three-hour Assault, Claims Loan Money Wasted

Premier Announces Heavy Cut in Appropriation; No More Loans

After weeks of careful and laborious preparation the Opposition launched a three-hour massed attack upon the B. C. Department of Industries in the Legislature yesterday, following an announcement by Premier Oliver that it had been decided to reduce the Department's annual grant from \$25,000 as originally provided, to \$13,520. Hour after hour Opposition members stood up beside their chief and helped him to deliver broadsides at the Department which, they declared, was wasting public money and which had failed of its purpose. Premier Oliver Minister of Industries, protested frequently that the Opposition had wandered far from the subject but, as Mr. Bowser persisted in arguing over the Premier's objection, in his efforts to delay adjournment, this only prolonged the debate. Finally the Opposition Leader was allowed to go on almost uninterrupted. "It is not the intention of the Department of Industries to authorize any new loans," the Premier stated as he announced the cut of more than fifty per cent in the Department's annual grant. "No further loans will be made except where it is necessary to protect investments already made. Consequently the Department can be operated at a much smaller cost."

Canada's Greatest Optimist. Then the Opposition launched its attack with some scathing remarks from R. H. Pooley, Conservative Member for Esquimalt. "The Deputy Minister of Industries (Major D. B. Martin) is not in his right position," he declared. "He is the greatest optimist in B. C. or Canada. If you listen to his statements you will think there is nothing wrong with the Department's loans. Everything is rosy, according to his statements. He should be a Minister of the Government so he could put a little pep and optimism into the other side of the House."

Mr. Pooley declared that the Industrial Department had granted loans all over the Province without consulting experts concerning the businesses to which this assistance was to be extended. "It is a most extraordinary thing that the Deputy Minister of Industries, who has the loaning of over a \$100,000 of public money, does so without even taking the trouble to have an expert look over the business in each case. This, in fact, was his statement before the Public Accounts Committee."

Expert Advice Needed. Mr. Pooley described in detail the failure of a box-making concern established by returned soldiers at San Juan and aided by loans from the Industries Department. This industry had failed, he said, because the soldiers did not have the advice of experts when they started business. The Department, he declared, had loaned the concern money without having experts investigate the project and see that these loans were properly secured.

In sixty-five per cent of the business aided by the Department, he said, there was "nothing doing."

"In nine out of ten cases the Department has set by and allowed the money to be wasted," he charged. If the Department has secured proper expert advice it would have some industries instead of a lot of junk on its hands."

J. W. Jones, Conservative Member for South Okanagan, predicted that a majority of the industries aided by the Department would fail and he urged that a new head should be appointed to preside over the Department.

Says for Elections Only. "Major Martin appears to be in the Department to run in elections," Mr. Bowser commenced. "I don't blame a young man for having political aspirations but I object to him being retained as a head of a department simply for elections."

He went on to recall how Major Martin had resigned to be a candidate in the last election and had been re-appointed after his defeat. This year, he said, Major Martin had sought for the Federal riding of Westminster county but had been defeated in the Liberal convention. This time, however, he had not resigned as Deputy Minister of Industries.

"And yet the Premier says he wants the Civil Service clean and pure!" Mr. Bowser exclaimed.

Mr. Oliver protested that Mr. Bowser was out of order in discussing such matters. "I know his tactics—that he will discuss anything and everything to keep us right here until after the Federal election day," he added.

Incubator Department. "The Industries Department should be called the Incubator Department," Mr. Bowser went on. "It incubates only Liberals. If it incubated a few Conservatives it wouldn't be so bad. Major Martin is now living in hopes that there will be another election and that the misguided Liberal Party will select him."

The Department, he declared, had been guilty of reckless loaning such as would never be tolerated in a private business. "The Premier," he added, is personally responsible for these bad loans."

Major Martin's evidence before the Public Accounts Committee had been "pitiful," Mr. Bowser declared as he proceeded to analyze a large number of loans extended by the Department. For about an hour he dissected each of these loans in an effort to prove that they had been unwisely granted and that the Department would lose large sums of money without establishing new industries.

The Industrial Depot. "In fact, we have hardly been able to find a loan that is in good standing," Mr. Bowser declared. He said that \$45,000 had been loaned to one company at the time of the last election on the recommendation of a clerk paid \$125 a month. "There may be some good loans, but a great majority are bad."

"Eighty per cent of these loans will be a loss. The man I am most surprised at is the Premier for allowing

these loans to go through—loans which will cost the people of this Province \$300,000 or \$500,000. I am glad he has decided at last to stop loaning out money—perhaps it is because he can't borrow any more."

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VARSITY ACTORS PRODUCE PLAYS

Students Busy With Many
Activities at U. B. C.

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—(Special to The Times).—The biggest event of the last week at the University of British Columbia was the production by the Players' Club of the annual Christmas plays, "The Maker of Dreams," "The Twelve Pound Note," "He," and "The Pot Boiling." Each of these plays consisted of one of two scenes. Malcolm Dickson, of Victoria, played one of the leading parts in "The Maker of Dreams."

Only those members of the Players' Club who have not taken part in a Spring play are allowed to participate in the Christmas plays, so that new members may be given an opportunity to distinguish themselves. All students are given free tickets to the

plays, which are all marked successes.

New Dean of Women. Miss Bollett, the new Dean of Women, was formally introduced to the executives of the women's organizations in the University the other day. Introducing Miss Bollett, President Kinck outlined the duties which Miss Bollett is to undertake as mainly those involving the solution of the many knotty problems arising in the way of student self-government, with particular reference to the women students.

Bliss Carmen, the famous Canadian poet, addressed the Women's Literary Society in the Auditorium recently. Mr. Carmen charmed his large audience of students and faculty members by readings from his political works.

Talks on Evolution.

Dr. Hutchinson addressed the Students' Christian Movement last week on "Evolution and Religion." He treated the question of evolution from every conceivable angle, and stated that evolution was no longer a theory but a fact. The general working of evolution, he said, was seen in the Bible, where the evolution of such things as political institutions, moral

standards, religious teachings and civilization was very apparent.

Varsity soccer players defeated the Royal Bank by a score of one goal to nothing. This game was the first round of the Iroquois Cup, which is an elimination contest involving practically all the city teams. The student supporters turned out in great sport and helped to spur the Varsity players on to victory.

Victorians on Basketball Teams.

Under the vigilant eye of Coach Al Buchanan the Varsity basketball teams are steadily improving. Two Victorians are on the senior team, Les Bickell, of last year's intermediate team, being captain and Fred Elliott playing guard. Another Victorian, Ed. Bassett, is playing forward on the Senior B team. Up to the present time none of last year's senior team have turned out with the exception of Lacey Fisher as they are playing rugby, which so far has taken up all their time. These men are all expected to be in the game within a few days, however, and will raise the standard of the Varsity teams considerably. The most notable players are: G. Gross, K. Carlisle, Sid Anderson and Buck Buchanan.

The Fate of the Dominion rests in the hands of The Women of Canada

WOMEN OF CANADA—Today you hold the greatest power ever held by the women of any nation in the history of the world. The fate of the Dominion rests in your hands. The whole outside world is watching what you will do with your vote, watching to see whether you are going to let Canada lose in peace what she gained in War.

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In the days that are past, Canada's progress has been hampered by different factions pulling in different directions. East and West, Quebec and Ontario, farm and factory, labor and capital, various races and creeds, have all been acting in opposition, selfishly, and to the disadvantage of the nation as a whole.

WOMEN OF CANADA—in this election you can compel all the factions in the Dominion to pull together. With all communities and interests from the Atlantic to the Pacific acting in unison and in harmony, Canada will take its rightful place as one of the foremost nations of the world.

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Women of Canada

Here is an appeal written specially for this advertisement by Arthur Meighen. Read it, think for yourselves, and go to the polls. Don't let it be said that Canadian women don't care—that Canadian women won't vote.

My Special Appeal To Women

To the Women of Canada, I make this special appeal. I ask you to earnestly and thoroughly study the great issues that now confront the country, and to conscientiously seek a personal decision, refusing steadfastly to be moved by reckless appeals, or by the cry of prejudice or by class appeal. I ask you to review my record and if you find my past and present stand on the great questions concerning the Dominion's National policies acceptable, I ask you not only to vote for my candidate in your constituency but to exert all possible influence on his behalf. The Government which extended the franchise to the Women of Canada invites you to help to build up that which was torn down by the War and to take your proper share of the

responsibilities in shaping the destinies of your country.

I ask the Women of Canada to destroy definitely and forever the plans of those who, through selfish motives, attempt to unbalance the people of Canada and thus wreck the unity which made it possible for us to take such a valiant part in the great War.

I ask the Women of Canada to force that unity which will be abiding, which will result in permanent prosperity for all classes, and which will make Canada the envy of the world—that unity which is my one aim and ambition.

(Signed) ARTHUR MEIGHEN



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Discussing the act to amend the Motor-Vehicles Act in the Legislature last night, Thomas Pearson, Conservative member for Richmond, suggested that the speed limit in municipalities be reduced from 35 to 25 miles per hour.

David Whiteside asked if it were intended to abandon the ear-marking of license fees for the highway account. Mr. Bowser objected to the principle of such fees being placed in the consolidated revenue fund. They belonged in the Highway account, he claimed, which was a trust fund. The Opposition Leader contended

that when the new bill became law it would mean that British Columbia had the highest motor-taxes of any Province in Canada. He said that the present was not the proper time to impose an increase in motor licenses. He claimed that returned men, who had been incapacitated through the loss of an arm or a leg, and farmers using cars for the transporting of produce, should be exempt. F. A. Pauline asked that machines used in road-making and motor-driven machinery owned by municipalities be exempted. The debate was adjourned by R. H. Pooley.

The classified advertisements in this newspaper are models of timeliness and suggestion. Phone 1099 Times Adv. Dept.

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UNEMPLOYED SEEK WORK AT EARLIEST DATE

Delegation Is Heard by City Council

Sixty unemployed men waited upon the City Council last night and presented a plea for immediate assistance, surprising the whole Council by the statement that relief work not of a public works character would be eligible for assistance from the Dominion and Provincial treasuries on the one-third basis of relief effective for doles.

A Jenkins said the delegation had met Premier Oliver and had been told to go to the city. "We have in the unemployed of the city many destitute, I am among them, let us have work or some assistance," he said.

Walter Enwood declared: "It is time you gentlemen hung your heads in shame," he said in reference to the report that little girls were selling newspapers on the streets through the curse of starvation. He had got well started when Chairman Jenkins of the delegation intervened, "Enough is not here to deliver an oration. He is just here to tell you what we want. Keep him in order. Your Worship," he said.

John Stevenson was roundly applauded by his companions when he told the Council, "There are too many men in Victoria who are not eating regularly. There are three alternatives to the starving, beg, borrow, or steal."

"You, your Worship, as Chief Magistrate have the task of keeping law and order. It is all very well for you to keep order if there are but one or two hungry ones who get to stealing, but it is quite another matter when five or six hundred are driven to desperation."

"We are not here to make threats, nothing of the kind. We want to hear upon the need of doing something for the necessities of these men."

Alderman Fullerton regretted that the delays by the Dominion Railway Commission had held up the grading of the section of Johnson Street from the bridge to Lime Street, pointing out that that work would absorb all the unemployed if it could be started. John Newman declared that Premier Oliver had made it plain that

the Province would pay one-third the cost of any relief work undertaken by the city, whereupon Alderman Woodward declared that the delegation had been misled. "The Government of the Dominion or the Province only contribute one-third the cost above the normal when work is undertaken by cities," he declared, pointing out that doles were the only relief payments shared by the Provincial or Dominion governments.

Mr. Newman reiterated his statement, asserting that the Vancouver unemployed were being absorbed in the construction of a municipal golf links. "That is relief work pure and simple, and is being pro-rated on the one-third basis," he stated emphatically.

Mayor Porter remarked, "Well, that is the first I have heard of it. It is most interesting," Alderman Sangster interjected, "The Governments do the same as last year," and Alderman Woodward resumed, "Yes, doles, if we have to feed you gentlemen," and a chorus interrupted, "That's what we want." "When do we eat," and many similar calls.

Replying to the question, "Has a man, with wife and little ones, to be starving to secure relief?" Alderman Woodward replied, "Certainly the municipality had the legal liability of feeding the destitute."

Alderman Dewar then suggested that the unemployed men's committee meet with the Council's Unemployed Committee this morning and both go and interview Premier Oliver as to the correct interpretation of the relief work clause, this proving acceptable to the delegation.

PLEBISCITE ON ONE MAN CARS

Council Decides to Submit Referendum

Are you in favor of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company operating one-man cars in Victoria?" the City Council last night decided to ask city voters at the next municipal election.

Alderman Woodward introduced the motion calling for the submission of the referendum, being supported by Alderman Fullerton there being a warm debate as to the utility of such a query when the question was one over which the city had no control.

Alderman Woodward coupled with his demand for a referendum a proposal that the Provincial Government be informed that, pending the taking of the vote, the Council adheres to its previous resolution opposing the new system until the cars have been demonstrated to be safe, and therefore the Provincial Government be asked to withhold approval of the change until after election day. This also passed in company with the referendum decision.

Alderman Dinsdale remarked that he was sorry that Alderman Woodward had not called for a referendum at the time he, Alderman Dinsdale, had initiated opposition to the change, and pointed out that the street car company had now gone to great expense in the matter of transforming its equipment.

Alderman Woodward retorted tartly: "The only thing I have to say in reply is, to listen to Alderman Dinsdale lecturing anyone upon firmness is the greatest joke of the year."

Alderman Sangster opined that it would be ridiculous to ask people to register their opinions until they had tried the new style of car, and Alderman Andrews said that the vote should be taken on December 14, whereas the Provincial Government would announce its decision on December 6, according to a call from Premier Oliver for opponents to attend a hearing set for that date.

Mayor Porter announced himself as opposed to the motion which carried with seven votes in support.

TRANSFER CONTROL OF ISOLATION HOSPITAL

Jubilee Hospital Will Take Over City's Institution

Operation of the Isolation Hospital will henceforth be undertaken by the Jubilee Hospital, for and at the expense of the city, according to a decision arrived at last night by the City Council, which adopted a report of the Health Committee recommending this course.

It was pointed out that the new plan would make probable a considerable lowering in operating costs, as the Jubilee Hospital directorate believed they could purchase supplies more advantageously and would have no staff employed save when there were patients in the isolation wards.

The proposal, which was referred to the city solicitor for final drafting into a formal agreement, is that the city shall reimburse to the Hospital Directors the cost of operation, and shall be credited with all revenue accruing to the isolation plant.

It was remarked by Alderman Sangster that the Jubilee Hospital Directors were frankly glad to undertake the new work, as enabling graduates from its nursing school to acquire training in the handling of isolation diseases which hitherto had not been attainable, while the use of student nurses should materially reduce operation costs to the city.

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